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THE PIRATES.

TWO NEW PIRATES AFLOAT.

The Chicamauga and Olustee Escape from Wilmington.

SIX VESSELS DESTROYED AND ONE BONDED.

The Ship Shooting Star, Barks E. L. Hall, M. L. Potter, and Empress Theresa, and Schooners E. F. Lewis and A. J. Bird Burned.

Description of the Pirates and their Officers.

The bark *Albion Lincoln*, of Harpswell, Bibber, from Portland for Cuba, put into this port yesterday, having on board Capt. Drinkwater of the ship *Shooting Star*, from New-York for Panama; Capt. Papley and crew of the bark *Mark. L Potter*, from Bangor for Ship Island; Capt. Coggins and crew of the bark *Emma L. Hall*, from Cardenas for New-York, all burned by the Confederate steamship *Chickamauga*, Lieut. Wilkinson, which left Wilmington on the 27th Oct. The *M. L. Potter* was burned Oct. 30; the *E. L. Hall*, Oct. 31, and the *Shooting Star* Oct. 31, in lat. 38°20', long. 70°. The *E. L. Hall*, same latitude and longitude.

STATEMENT BY CAPT. DRINKWATER, OF THE SHOOTING STAR.

Capt. L. H. Drinkwater, of the ship *Shooting Star*, hence for Panama, with coals, which vessel was captured and burned by the privateer steamer *Chickamauga*, makes the following report:

Left New-York at noon, Oct. 29, and proceeded on her voyage with no unusual occurrence, until the 31st ult. When at 8:30 A. M. latitude 39° 10', longitude 70° 25', a steamer hove in sight, coming from the southward, and making for a bark which bore S. S. W. from us, and steering north by the wind; the strange steamer, upon nearing the bark, hoisted the rebel flag.

At 9:30 discovered the bark to be on fire. She proved to be the bark *Emma S. Hall*, Capt. Geo. W. Coggins, from New-York. At 10 o'clock the steamer stood for the *Shooting Star*, which had made all sail attempting to escape the clutches of the pirate, but after a chase of three hours she was overhauled and ordered to send a boat on board the steamer. Another bark then heaving in sight, she made for her, practicing the usual deception of flying the Stars and Stripes until within gunshot of the victim, when the rebel flag was run up. After boarding this vessel, which proved to be the Bark *Albion Lincoln*, of Harpswell, Capt. Bibber, from Portland for Cuba, after having bonded her for $18,000, she returned to the *Shooting Star*, to finish her work of destruction, which was accomplished at 6:30 P. M., by setting her on fire. All hands were transferred to the steamer, and subsequently put on board the *Albion Lincoln*, together with the crews of the Barks *Emma L. Hall* and *Mark L. Potter*. The latter vessel was captured and burned the day previous, she was commanded by Capt. Taylor, and bound from Bangor for Ship Island. The *Lincoln* was ordered to Fortress Monroe with the paroled captives, numbering sixty persons; but Capt. Bibber, finding New-York to be the nearest port, shaped his course for this place, and reached here this morning. Capt. Drinkwater describes this new privateer as a screw steamer, painted pea-green, fore-and-aft, schooner-rigged, masts short, without topmasts, has two smoke-stacks, carries an armament of three guns—one thirty-two-pounder and two twenty-four's, and she is manned by a crew of 150 men. She sails under the name of *Chickamauga*, is commanded by Lieut. Wilkinson, of C. S. Navy. Her officers state that she ran out from Wilmington, N. C., on the night of the 27th, together with two other steamers.

THE COMMANDER OF THE PRIVATEER CHICKAMAUGA.

Lieut. John Wilkinson, C. S. N., commanding the Confederate Privateer *Chickamauga*, was born in, and was appointed a midshipman from the State of Virginia. He entered the service on the 18th of December 1837. On the 5th of November 1850 he received his commission as a Lieutenant in the United States Navy. In 1855 he was attached to the Coast Survey. He was ordered in the latter part of that year to the sloop *Saratoga* on the Home Station, where he remained until November 1857, when he was ordered to the Norfolk Navy Yard. In 1860 he was attached to the Coast Survey. At the breaking out of the rebellion he was still attached to this service, and on board of the steamer *Corwin*, under instructions. He was one of the first to enter the Confederate naval service, his commission as First Lieutenant in that service bearing date June 10, 1861. During the war he has been on special duty in connection with naval defences along the southern coast. He stands number 21 on the Confederate naval Register.

THE PRIVATEER.

The *Chickamauga* is probably the blockade-runner *Edith*, which ran into Wilmington about the time the *Tallahassee* returned to that port after her raid a few months ago. It was announced not long since that the *Edith* was preparing to come out under a new name.

The discipline on board the *Chickamauga* is represented to be of the lowest order. The prisoners taken from the vessels destroyed were all required to sign a parole. The following is a copy:

CONFEDERATE STEAMER CHICKAMAUGA, At Sea, Lat. 39 10, Long. 70.

The undersigned do hereby agree, in consideration of being released as prisoners of war, by First Lieut. J. Wilkinson, Confederate States steamer *Chickamauga*, not to serve by land or water, or take up arms against the Confederate States of America until regularly exchanged.

(Signed.) ——.

Witness: E. Courtney Jenkins, Captain's Clerk.

A CARD.

The undersigned, commanders of the ship *Shooting Star*, barks *Emma L. Hall* and *Mark L. Potter*, whose vessels were destroyed by the privateer *Chickamauga*, are desirous of expressing their sincere thanks to Capt. Bibber, of the bark *Albion Lincoln*, for his kind treatment, and his exertions to make them comfortable, while on board his vessel.

Signed—L. H. Drinkwater, ship *Shooting Star*; Geo. W. Coggins, bark *Emma L. Hall*; Robert Tapley, bark *Mark L. Potter*.

DEPREDATIONS OF THE OLUSTEE.

Three Vessels Burned off the Coast—Arrival of the Crews at this Port.

Capt. N. C. Walker, of the bark *Empress Theresa*, of and for Baltimore, from Rio Janeiro, in ballast, reports: 1st inst., lat 35° 30', lon. 74° 10', was boarded by the rebel privateer *Olustee*, Lieut. W. H. Ward commanding, who told us we were a prize to the Confederate States, and ordered us to get our clothing and go on board the steamer, which we did, when they immediately set her on fire, and went in chase for another vessel which was in sight; but night coming on, failed to find her; the men kept on board until the 3d inst., when in lat. 39° 18', lon. 74°, we came up with the schooner *A. J. Bird*, Capt. French, of and from Rockland, for Washington, D. C., with a cargo of lime, laths and potatoes. The crew were ordered on board the steamer and the schooner scuttled. There was also in sight at the time the schooner *E. F. Lewis*, of and from Portland for Philadelphia, with a general cargo, which was disposed of in the same manner as the *Bird*. The *Olustee* then ran for another schooner which was close by, and which proved to be the schooner *Antelope*, Capt. Dodson, from Matanzas for New-York, and to which vessel we were all transferred, twenty-eight in number, after signing the usual parole. Capt. Walker had his wife, child and sister, and also two passengers, who were all served alike. The pirates took posses-

sion of all the nautical instruments, and everything else of value that they could get their hands on.

The *Olustee* is an iron screw-steamer, seven hundred tons burden, two hundred and twenty feet long, schooner rigged, two smoke-stacks, two screws, and is very fast; she is painted white, and run out of Wilmington, N. C., on the night of the 30th ult. In passing by the gunboat on the blockade, she received a shot in her bow which went entirely through her and done no other damage. Several of the captives, in conversation with the crew, learned that there are at present four steamers of the same class on the coast, all of which are out of Wilmington, N. C., but of English build.

The bark *Empress Theresa* was built in Mathews County, Va., four years old, three hundred and twelve tons burden, and owned by John M. Bandel, at Baltimore.

The schooner *A. J. Bird* was 178 tons burden three years old, and owned by John Bird and others, at Rockland, was valued at $16,000.

The schooner *E. F. Lewis* was 188 tons burden, ten years old, and owned by E. White and others, at Portland and Stark W. Lewis, of New-York.

The captains and crews of all the above vessels arrived at this port last evening in the British schooner *Antelope*. All well.

THE SEARCH FOR THE TALLAHASSEE.

The United States revenue steamer *Miami* sailed yesterday afternoon, in pursuit of privateers on the coast. Her officers are: Captain, D. D. Tompkins; First Lieutenant, Theodore Spencer; Second Lieutenant, A. G. Cary; Third Lieutenant, Charles Abbey; Chief Engineer, Charles Dale; First Assistant Engineer, James Levineas; Second Assistant Engineer, James McDougall.

No Privateer at the Delaware Breakwater.

PHILADELPHIA, Friday, Nov. 4.

The report of a pirate being off the Delaware Breakwater has not been traced to any reliable source, and is not generally believed.

Persons who left Lewes, Del., yesterday morning, say there can be no truth in the reported robbery of that town.

Passengers by the train arrived from Cape May this morning also report that nothing was known there when they left about the *Tallahassee* being in the Breakwater.

The *Evening Bulletin* says:

"G. Gustin Smith, Engineer of this Light-house District, left Lewes at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, and at that time there had been no report there of a pirate being at the breakwater, which is in sight from Lewes. He totally discredits the rumor. Moreover, the United States gunboat *Sassacus*, double-ender, was in Lewes, having arrived there on Wednesday night. If any pirate had been in the neighborhood she would have been after her at once. The whole story may be set down as a canard.

The United States steamer *Galena* arrived off the breakwater yesterday, for repairs, from Key West. She passed Lewes yesterday morning, and heard nothing of the pirate.

The Galena off the Delaware Breakwater—Nothing Heard of the Tallahassee.

PHILADELPHIA, Friday, Nov. 4.

The United States steamer *Galena* has arrived off the Breakwater from Key West for repairs. She passed Lewes yesterday morning, and heard nothing of the pirate *Tallahassee*.

Suspicious Craft off Cape Cod.

PORTLAND, Friday, Nov. 4.

Capt. Sherwood, of the steamer *Potomac*, which arrived here to-day from New-York, reports: At 12 o'clock last night, forty miles north of Cape Cod, saw a suspicious steamer, five miles distant standing toward the *Potomac*. Came up within nailing distance and blew a whistle, which was answered by the *Potomac*; she then made a cruise around the *Potomac*, which kept on her course at full speed, when the suspicious steamer evidently became frightened and steered to the northward at full speed, after taking in all her lights. The Captain and passengers agree that she was a long, low schooner-rigged English steamer, burning soft coal.

FROM THE PACIFIC COAST.

Arrival of the Steamship Costa Rica from Aspinwall—News from the Isthmus and South America.

The steamship *Costa Rica*, from Aspinwall, Oct. 26, arrived at this port yesterday. The following is her

SPECIE LIST:

Order	$20,315 56	Duncan, Sherman & Co.	$6,000 00
Schaile Bros.	31,100 00	J. B. Newton & Co.	40,000 00
H. Cohen & Co.	15,500 00	Wells, Fargo & Co.	95,678 45
A. Rich Bros.	3,800 00	Lees & Waller	188,000 00
De Witt, Kittle & Co.	10,000 00		
Total			$404,394 01

FROM ASPINWALL.

Ribon & Munos	$2,520 80	M. J. de Pumarejo	240 00
Perez, Planas & Co.	310 00	S. L. Isaacs & Son	560 00
Handy & Roadley	500 00		
Parsons & Pettit	600 00	Total	$5,201 80
Total			$409,624 81

PANAMA, Wednesday, Oct. 26.

Since the departure of the last United States mail, we have received later advices with interesting news from the South Coast. The latest dates is Valparaiso, 2d inst.; Callao, 13th, and Guayaquil, 14th.

SOUTH AMERICA.

From Our Own Correspondent.

PANAMA, Wednesday, Oct. 26, 1864.

The British mail steamship *Bogota*, from Valparaiso and intermediate ports, arrived at Panama on the 20th inst. She brings dates from Valparaiso and Santiago de Chili to the 2d, and from Lima and Callao to the 14th October. The *Bogota* has $214,000 in specie and a cargo of coast produce, principally for Europe.

ECUADOR.

The only news of special importance from this State is the death of Gen. Flores, who died of a natural death. His death will be a great blow to President Moreno, whose staunch supporter he has been under all his difficulties. In fact, without Flores Moreno would long ago have been driven from the country which he governs so sternly. Both Moreno and Flores favored, it is believed, the European aggressions on this Continent, and both are charged with having sought an European, or rather French, protectorate over Ecuador.

The revolution headed by Urbino does not seem to have met the success anticipated for it, although the disaffected hold parts of several provinces near where Peruvian aid may easily reach them, which, from present indications, they will receive. The steamer that went to Machala with Urbino, had, with her consort, gone to Tombes.

PERU.

Every mail strengthens the opinion I have so often expressed that Peru can only relieve herself from the embarrassment in which the Spanish seizure of the Chincha Islands has placed her, by complete submission to the Spanish ultimatum. The entire ministry of Peru have again sent in their resignations to President Pezet, on the plea of "inability to conduct the public business in the face of so much unreasonable opposition to every measure they bring forward, and for constant calls for them in Congress to indicate a policy." The ministry asked for extraordinary powers from Congress to carry out their measures, and it was on the refusal to accede to this proposition that the ministry resigned.

The *Vencedora*, 22 guns, to reinforce the Spanish fleet at Callao, had arrived at that port from Montevideo, and two more vessels were shortly expected. The *Vencedora* put into Lota, Chili, for coals, but the Government having declared that the attitude of Spain and Chili was that of open war, prohibited any supplies to the Spanish fleet. The vessels of the fleet, however, find no difficulty at the Chinchas in getting supplies, as French vessels take to them coals and provisions from Valparaiso and other points, freely.

A Peruvian steamer, the *Morona*, charged with the exploration of the Amazon, had arrived at the port of Mayro, 95 leagues out from the Pacific, carrying seven feet of water to the port. She came from England, ascended the Amazon 700 leagues, the Ucayati 200 leagues, and then passed up the Pachites, which till then had only been navigated by Indian canoes. This is a most important discovery, as will soon be demonstrated by the enterprising capitalists who are constantly seeking new modes of communication between the Southern continent, the United States and Europe.

The journals of Lima speak of an early meeting of the People's Congress, most of the Representatives having already arrived.

The Peruvian Government had sent to the frontiers of Ecuador a force of 1,000 men, under Gen. Fermin del Castillo, to watch the movements of the two contending parties of Ecuador. They arrived at Paita on the 8th October.

CHILI.

The Chilian Government is still waiting for something to "turn up in Peru," in respect to the Spanish question, "in the meantime preparing for eventualities, and showing its patriotism and friendship for the neighboring country by acts permitted by international usage." An extraordinary session of Congress is to be held, "to deliberate on questions of great importance;" but those questions are not indicated as yet. The attempted revolt of the Indian chief, Antil, of which I wrote you by a previous mail, is still attracting considerable attention in Chili. Apparently successful attempts are made to link this affair with the Spanish invasion of Admiral Pinson. It is asserted that a letter has been found, dated in August of last year, which says: "The squadron of our Queen is to go to Peru to seize one of its ports, and will afterward visit the Island of Chiloe, to gather men with which to make war on Chili and Peru, that we may become, as before, Spaniards." Proofs are also adduced that Antil had communicated with the officers of the Spanish gunboat *Covadonga*, who promised him "that things would soon change." But all this amounts to little, if true, and is of doubtful authenticity.

CENTRAL AMERICA.

From Our Own Correspondent.

PANAMA, Wednesday, Oct. 26, 1864.

We have had some little excitement the past week consequent upon the passage of French and American sailors and marines across the Isthmus—the latter, as is alleged, in spite of former or present protests of the Columbian Government, in an armed attitude. Capt. Bankhead, with 150 sailors and marines, more or less, for the United States Pacific fleet, arrived in the last steamer from New-York, and fearing that some of the sailors might escape, very innocently and naturally placed a marine guard over them on the transit. I believe, although I was not present to see it, he marched the men under guard, a few rods from the cars to the steamtug; and that was all. The representative of the national authority here has written a very angry letter to the Consul on the subject. The authorities say if the United States need a guard for any legitimate purpose on the transit, they will furnish it. They contend that this manner of doing business,—the transportation of armed men across the territory without special leave of the Government,—is in contravention of article 35 of the treaty of 1846, and is not admitted in the contract with the Panama Railroad Company. This is a matter easy of adjustment. When it is necessary for soldiers or sailors of the United States to cross the Isthmus with arms in their hands, a simple request by telegraph from Aspinwall, to do so, would, undoubtedly receive an immediate and favorable response. Nations are generally susceptible in the ratio to their weakness, and it is well to treat them justly, and even to humor them a little, when no disposition is shown on their part to take advantage of your good nature.

The French frigate *La Saone* having arrived at Aspinwall, with 378 sailors and marines to relieve the same number sick and whose time has expired on the French fleet on the West coast of Mexico, almost simultaneously with the American recruits, the authorities were a little more touchy than they otherwise would have been at the lack of consideration they charge upon our folks. They were afraid the French might claim to do the same thing on the ground of "the most favored nation" clause in most treaties. It was also assumed that, in consequence of recent events at Panama, and the French demands of redress, consequent thereupon, the French would take pleasure in showing their contempt for the strength of the Colombian Republic by coming across the Isthmus as soldiers instead of citizens, and many threats were made by irresponsible and unauthorized persons among us against the Crapeauds if they attempted it. But those who expected a fuss were disappointed. The French came over as any other passengers would come—only a little more quietly perhaps—and entirely unarmed. They were immediately sent on board the frigate *d'Assas*, in the bay, and about half their number returned to Aspinwall same day, who, on arrival, were at once placed on board *La Saone*. And nobody was hurt. And the world moves on as usual.

The French have twenty or thirty men of the fleet at Acapulco, in the French hospital in this city, mostly from intermittent fever, but I believe none have died as yet.

The President of the State, Señor Santacolma, has gone to Bogota to take his place as Representative from the State of Panama in the coming Congress. His place here is temporarily filled by Señor Jose L. Calancha. The State is quiet, and no apprehensions are felt of trouble.

A robber, on the 18th, broke open the safe of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, and robbed it of $2,000. He was arrested at Aspinwall, and $1,800 of the money recovered.

The U. S. steam corvette *Lancaster*, Capt. Davenport, the flagship of Acting Admiral Bell, arrived at Panama from Callao and the coast on the 21st. Com. Pearson assumed command of the Pacific fleet on the 24th, and Admiral Bell returns to New-York to-day. The Paymaster of the fleet, Mr. Eldredge, whose place is filled by Paymaster Rittenhouse, also goes home on this steamer. The U. S. steam sloop *Narragansett*, Capt. Selfridge E. Woodworth, is ordered to Philadelphia, and will leave Panama in a day or two. The U. S. sloop-of-war *St. Marys*, Capt. Middleton, is at Panama, and the *Cyane* and *Saranac* are daily expected, as also the *Sagamore*.

The U. S. gunboat *Rhode Island*, Capt. Trenchard, arrived at Aspinwall on the 24th, to convoy home the *Costa Rica*. Her men are generally in good health.

Last week the French Consul at Panama, in the name of the Emperor Napoleon, presented to Col. G. W. Totten, Chief Engineer of the Panama Railroad, to Wm. Parker, Esq., Superintendent, to Wm. Nelson, Esq., Commercial and General Agent at Panama, and to Wm. Luckey, Esq., telegraph operator—the first and second a diamond ring, the third a diamond ring and a pair of gold-mounted pistols, and the fourth 1,000 francs in money, for their various good services toward French officers and citizens who have crossed the Isthmus, and particularly for their action in assisting the French Consul in getting the Spanish Minister to Peru. Señor Salazar, safely over Jordan, at the time of the threatened mob against him some months since at Panama. The rings are clusters of diamonds encircling the letter N.

By a late arrival at Aspinwall from Carthagena, we have dates from Bogota, the capital, to the 22d ult. Señor Pradilla, President Murillo's Secretary of State, has resigned his place. It is said that Señor Luis Herrera, the Governor lately deposed by the people of Santa Marta is to take the place of Senor Quijano, Attorney-General. President Murillo has published a letter commenting very severely upon the inaction of President Santacolma, of the State of Panama, on the occasion of the late charivari to the Spanish Minister to Peru, in the city of Panama.

Messrs. Ribon and Munos, of New-York, are improving some portions of the River Magdalena, especially in the vicinity of Mompos, which will greatly facilitate and improve the trade to that place. They have also put on a neat little steamer between Santa Marta and Barranquilla, which is a great accommodation to travel and trade.

The *Conservador*, a paper opposed to the Administration of President Murillo, tells some stories against its enemies which must be received with great caution by the lovers of truth. It says that a society of Liberals, styled "La Sociedad de la Culebra de Ambalema," (Snake of Ambalema,) with arms, attacked the town of Beltrau, in the State of Cundinamarca.

The citizens defended themselves with vigor at the outset, and the action was for a while well sustained on both sides. The poinard and the sword were the weapons most used. Finally the Society gained the advantage and the fugitive people of Beltrau were pursued and put to the sword in a relentless manner. A house in which some wounded men had taken refuge, was set on fire and reduced to ashes, whilst a guard stood sentinel to prevent any of the refugees from escaping. The church and prison were afterward ignited. The whole town was eventually burnt down and nearly one hundred persons lost their lives.

Fire in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Friday, Nov. 4.

The glue works of Wahl Brothers, & Lightball were destroyed by fire last night. Loss $100,000. No insurance.

THE SOLDIERS' VOTE FRAUD.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Friday, Nov. 4.

TRIAL OF COL. NORTH.

The trial of Col. North and his conspirators was proceeded with this morning, the case having been adjourned over from yesterday on account of the illness of Mr. Gillette, prisoner's counsel. Argument having been concluded this morning, the court held that it had jurisdiction of the cases, and permitted the defendants to plead to the charge and specifications upon the merits, "Not guilty."

The counsel for the defence demanded a separate trial for each of the accused, which request the court refused. Witnesses were then called and examined for the prosecution, the principal of whom—Mr. J. L. Claghorn—testified substantially as follows:

On or about the 20th of October, 1864, I called at the office of the New-York State Agency, on Pennsylvania-avenue, in the City of Washington, for the purpose of procuring the execution of papers to enable me to vote in the State of New-York at the next general election; I there saw a person who passed by the name of James M. Murphy; Col North was also there; Murphy made out for me the power of attorney, signed it as witness, and then undertook to swear me to the oath, before I was aware of what he was doing; such attempt being made by reading the printed oath in a hurried manner, and without any act on my part of holding up my hand or kissing the book; Murphy signed his name as a witness to the power of attorney; Murphy wished me to leave the paper in the condition in which I found it, unsigned by any officer, stating that they wanted it left open, to put in the local ballot, and that they would then fix it up, and send it home; Murphy also prepared the envelope; he said that they did not trust any of their proxies to the mail; that they had couriers by whom they transmitted them; I answered that I wished to send the ballot home myself, and he told me to go to No. 256 F-street, and no one was there; on or about Oct. 26, I went to the agency, No. 181 Pennsylvania-avenue, where I saw Col. North; I expressed my desire to vote by having the papers for that purpose perfected; I saw at least a dozen blanks there already signed, with an officer's name attached; North told me to sit down; Cohen also was there; they appeared to be busy receiving and dispatching agents; I saw different commissions with the New-York State seal upon them, written by both North and Cohen, to persons to go down the river as agents, and one to go as agent to the *Brooklyn*; other vessels were also named; it was proposed to go to H. C. Wood for passes; and it was concluded that it would not be safe to advise the Department that it was intended to visit the *Brooklyn*, lest her location should be changed so that she could not be visited; at my request I was furnished with proper blanks; they were filled out by the person who signed "M. M. Jones" as a witness; at the time they were filled out, they both purported to be signed by an officer, Jones saying that it was so difficult to get an officer detailed, that they had to do some that way.

The former papers to which I have referred were taken from me; I signed the paper annexed, but was not sworn to the affidavit; nor was Jones sworn as a witness in my presence; Jones signed and sealed the envelope, and handed it to me, recommending me not to intrust it to the mail.

Col. Ingraham, Provost-Marshal of Washington, and Lieut. Hunt, A. A. A. G., were also sworn as to the arrest of the prisoners and the closing of the agency. The statement of M. M. Jones, whose confession has heretofore been published, was also read to the court. At the conclusion of this evidence, a postponement was granted until Monday week, upon the application of North's counsel, to enable him to send to New-York for witnesses as to his former good character and respectability. Among the witnesses in his behalf, for whom summons was requested, appears the name of Hon. R. E. Fenton, Union candidate for Governor of New-York. It is hardly probable, however, that, in face of the testimony, former reputation will avail.

Trial of Col. North—Proceedings of the Court.

WASHINGTON, Friday, Nov. 4.

The trial of Col. Samuel North, New-York State Agent, Levi Cohen and M. Jones, was resumed this morning before the United States Military Commission, of which Gen. Doubleday is President.

Mr. Gillette, for the defence, replied, still pleading to the jurisdiction of the court, to the argument of Judge-Advocate Foster. He held that the Dorr case in Rhode Island, and the Vallandigham case, both of which were referred to yesterday by the Judge-Advocate, were by no means similar to the present case. There was no resemblance between the case of Vallandigham and that of Col. North and those charged with him. Mr. Gillette then proceeded to combat Col. Foster's argument that, in time of war, certain provisions of the Constitution, which was one of peace, were necessarily suspended. The extent of the suspension had nothing to do with the question before the court. The learned Judge-Advocate told the court that it was the duty of the Government to protect the soldiers against fraud and in all their rights. It was right for the Government to protect the soldier in relation to all his rights so far as they sprung out of his relation to the Government as a soldier. The soldier, however, does not vote by virtue of his relation as a soldier. The right to vote is a relation springing out of a local law of a State. It is the right of a man as a citizen, not as a soldier. The Government may properly have laws preventing the sale of liquor to soldiers, and preventing any one from inducing them to sell their clothes and arms, but it has no authority in war or peace to attempt a supervision or control over civil rights. Therefore, when the State of New-York, as a commonwealth, passes a law in relation to certain rights, it does not give the General Government control over such right. If in this case a crime has been committed, it is against the civil right of the soldiers and against the law of New-York, and a remedy is to be found under the law of that State. A number of authorities were read to show that the United States had no common law in relation to criminal matters, which could be resorted to in this and similar cases; that the United States tribunals had no power to try causes arising under the statute laws of the States, and that no court had jurisdiction except such as was given it by the power creating the court. Mr. Gillette also quoted the act of Congress of March 3, 1863, and argued from it that Congress itself directed what should be done with prisoners of State, as distinguished from prisoners of war. How are the accused prisoners of a military character? They were not in the military service. Did the fact of their arrest and imprisonment make them subject to the military authorities? It is clear that the accused are either State or political prisoners. If they are political prisoners, then this tribunal has no jurisdiction over them. Besides State and political prisoners there are purely military prisoners, and it is over such only that this military commission has jurisdiction.

The case of Mr. Vallandigham, which had been referred to, differed from this case, in that Mr. Vallandigham violated a known law which had been published, and the consequences of the violation of which were well known to him. But Col. North, and those charged with him, knew of no law that could arraign them before a military tribunal. If there was such a law, it was *ex post facto*, and consequently unconstitutional and void.

Col. Foster, in reply, again referred to the Vallandigham case, and said the United States Circuit Court of Ohio refused to grant an application for a *habeas corpus*, for two reasons—first, that they had no power to review the decisions of a Military Court, and second, that such Military Court had not exceeded its jurisdiction.

Col. Foster argued that under the constitution many of its provisions had to yield to the safety of the whole people. Even in time of peace private property may be seized for the public good, and shall it be said that greater power is not conferred in time of war?

It is apparent that Congress has unlimited power in declaring and carrying on war, and the President has the power to indicate the mode whereby the war should be carried on.

In the time of war when the peace powers of the constitution conflict with the war powers, the former must give way to the latter.

The President may, with perfect legality, use extraordinary powers, and such as may seem to him best in conducting the war, and he must, in accordance with his oath of office, do all in his power to bring the war to a successful termination.

In this way the laws of peace must necessarily be made to give way, and what is known as martial law is substituted.

Col. Foster also referred again to the Dorr case in Rhode Island, and argued from it that the war powers of the President are unlimited, and that in time of actual war the President may use extraordinary measures.

Col. Foster continued by arguing that the war power was strictly constitutional, and quoted from various authorities in support of his argument.

If the argument of the counsel for defence were correct, then if Lee or Longstreet were captured, they could not be tried except by regular indictment by a grand jury and trial before a petit jury.

In the Mexican war Gen. Scott established military tribunals, and made the statutes of the United States to prevail there. Could it be said that this action was illegal, and yet it would be impossible to point out the clause of the Constitution giving Gen. Scott such power.

The President in January last ordered a military commission to be convened for the trial of such cases as should be brought before it.

This case of Samuel North and others was sent to this commission by the appelate power creating the court, and, consequently, this commission has no authority to say they have no jurisdiction in this case, for the jurisdiction has been given by the Judge-Advocate-General.

If there is an organized band to defraud the soldier of any one of his rights, has not a military court the right to try those who swindle the soldier of his bounty, or who deprive him of any of his rights?

It is always a crime to defraud a soldier, and the Government must take the soldier's interest in hand.

The Judge-Advocate denied that the crime charged was against the statute of New-York. The statute does not provide for the indictment of any one who committed the crime outside of the State. In which county of the State of New-York could an indictment be obtained? and consequently, a military court is the proper one to take cognizance of the case, for the crime charged was one against the soldier in the field, and consequently was under the direct charge of the military authorities.

The court was here cleared, and the commission overruled the plea to the jurisdiction, and also decided that they had jurisdiction.

Col. Foster asked the court to render a judgment of guilty. The defendants could have put in any plea they pleased; they had chosen to plead to the jurisdiction and must abide the consequences.

Mr. Gillette considered the demand of the Judge-Advocate an extraordinary one. He argued that a plea to the jurisdiction was not an unusual thing. If the defence had demurred, then the court could decide whether a plea should be entered. Nor will a military court decide that because a plea to the jurisdiction had not been sustained, that the accused cannot be confronted with the witness; but that he shall be condemned without a trial. The court has simply decided that the argument against the jurisdiction was not good.

If the case were disposed of without a hearing, would it have the effect of putting down the crime?

Col. Foster, in reply, said the point in this case is: When a person pleads the jurisdiction *pro tanto*, he acknowledges the facts charged; and it is purely a matter of favor to allow the defence then to plead to the merits of the case.

The Court denied the motion of Col. Foster, and the prisoners in turn entered the plea of "Not Guilty."

Mr. McPherson moved that the accused be severed, and separate trials be granted them.

The motion was denied.

Mr. McPherson then moved that the Judge-Advocate elect whether he will try the several parties as principals or as accessories; they could not be both.

Col. Foster said that he would not amend his specifications. He would not consider the parties as principals or accessories; but would try them upon the charges as set forth on the specifications. The charges were not drawn up as an indictment at common law, but as such papers are usually drawn in proceedings before military courts.

Mr. Gillette argued that it was the duty of the Court to compel the Judge-Advocate to elect how he would try the several parties, whether as principals or accessories. The man who is to be defended as an accessory has one line of defence, and the principal has another. The evidence in either case must be different, and the judgment must be different.

Mr. McPherson's motion was denied.

The Court then took a recess until 3 P. M.

AFTERNOON PROCEEDINGS.

WASHINGTON, Friday, Nov. 4.

The trial of Col. North et al, was resumed at 3 o'clock.

Mr. Gillette submitted the names of a number of witnesses, as to character, &c., among whom were Hon. R E. Fenton, the Republican candidate for Governor of New-York; Judge Nelson, of the U. S. Circuit Court; Col. J. A. Foster; the Judge-Advocate, John F. Seymour, brother of Gov. Seymour, and others of this city and of various sections of the State of New-York.

Col. Foster was opposed to running all over the country to secure these witnesses, especially so many, as to character, for the purposes of this trial. He (Col. Foster) would admit that hitherto the characters of Col. North and of Mr. Jones were unimpeachable. As to Mr. Colins, he did not know anything of him. Col. Foster was willing to procure such witnesses as were near by.

Mr. Gillette thought it necessary to get all these witnesses, for they had specially in view to get witnesses of both political parties. The defence especially desired the presence of Mr. J. F. Seymour to prove that Col. North was not commissioned, as charged in the specifications, as an agent to get the votes of New-York soldiers. Col. North was the regular agent of the State of New-York.

Col. Foster said that did not go into the present question. It mattered not what kind of an agency Col. North held. If fraud had been committed upon soldiers, and these parties were proven guilty, it mattered not what the nature of their agency was.

Mr. Gillette urged the necessity of having all these witnesses, in order to prove by them that at different times they were at the New-York Agency, and found no indications that a political or moral wrong was being done. One of the witnesses asked for was the former State Agent, and a political adversary of Col. North, and was in the room at various times, and could prove whether any of the proceedings were wrong or not.

Col. Foster said he did not see the necessity of having so many witnesses to prove one alleged fact, and especially of running all over the country for them.

The court reserved its decision as to the admission of all the witnesses.

Mr. James O. Clephane, reporter for the court, was the first witness sworn by the Government. He testified that two days ago Mr. M. M. Jones, one of the parties accused, made a statement under oath, which was taken down by the witness in writing.

Cross-examined.—Col. Foster was present when Mr. Jones' statement was made; did not think Col. Foster wore his uniform on that occasion; Mr. Jones was brought into the office at Carroll Prison; witness did not tell Mr. Jones who he was, or what his business was; was not sure that Col. Foster told Jones who he was, but thought he did; did not think that Jones was told by what authority the questions were asked; no one was present except Col. Foster, Mr. Jones and witness; Jones did not sign the affidavit, nor was it read over to him; Jones was sworn by the uplifted hand; he said he (Jones) was willing to swear to the correctness of what he had said; it was taken down in short-hand.

Mr. Gillette asked that the original stenographic notes of Mr. Clephane be brought into Court. He asked further, that a third party be sent for them, in order that they might be brought here in the condition in which they had been taken away.

Mr. Gillette held, that what purported to be an affidavit, was really none; for the subject matter had not been read over to the witness.

Col. Foster spoke at some length upon the manner in which the counsel for the defence were conducting their case. When a criminal prosecution for forgery and fraud was instituted against parties, there could be no doubt but that officers of this Court would be also charged with the same crime. He did not recognize the right of counsel to impute fraud to the reporter, who was a sworn officer of this Court.

Josiah L. Claghorn, First Lieutenant and Quartermaster of the Eighty-ninth United States Colored troops, testified that he visited the New-York State Agency on the 20th of last month, and saw Messrs. North, Jones and another man named Murphy there. Witness said he came in to put in a proxy for a vote. Murphy signed his name as a witness to the power of attorney, and a form of oath was then administered to the witness. No name was signed in the blank space left for the party to sign who administered the oath. At a second visit, witness saw North, Jones and Cohen at the New-York State Agency. There were a number of parties there getting commissions to go to the front to take soldiers' votes. There was a letter read from a lieutenant in the navy, asking that a commissioner be sent to the United States steamer *Brooklyn*. Col. North said it would not do to let it be known that they were going to take votes on the *Brooklyn*, for the Administration would throw impediments in their way. Col. North further told witness that they had a difficulty in getting officers to sign affidavits.

Witness was here shown a power of attorney, and recognized it as the one he had signed.

Cross-Examined.—It was Mr. Jones who filled up the blanks in the power of attorney, and Col. North was moving about the room. The paper would have been satisfactory to the witness if it had been properly sworn to. It was not the witness' design to send the paper away with that kind of oath in it. Witness gave the power of attorney subsequently to Clarence Seward.

Mr. Clephane, recalled by Col. Foster, read the statement made by Mr. Jones at Carroll Prison.

Col. T. Ingraham, Provost-Marshal of the District of Columbia, was sworn. He testified that he arrested Col. North and Cohen at the New-York State Agency, and the rooms were placed in charge of Lieut. Hunt, and the rooms were locked up until witness received an order to turn the front room over to Mr. Bradley, Mr. North's assistant. The back room was yesterday given up to Messrs. Kellogg and other New-York Commissioners. Nothing was removed from the office, excepting some blanks taken from the front office.

Lieut. H. L. Hunt, of the Provost-Marshal's office, corroborated Col. Ingraham's testimony, and testified to nothing further.

The court then adjourned until Monday, Nov. 14, in order to give the defence time to get their witnesses, the court allowing them to summon all on their list.

Mass Meeting of Merchants and Bankers.

The Monied Men of the City Declare for Lincoln.

The Great Capitalists of New-York on the Ground in Force.

Speeches of Moses H. Grinnell, Gen. Wadsworth, R. H. Dana, of Boston, D. D. Field, and Others.

The bankers, brokers and merchants of this city, representatives of the capital, the enterprise and the enormous business interests of the Great Metropolis, met in mass in Wall-street yesterday afternoon, and took their stand on the side of the Union. This meeting, called under the auspices of the Lincoln and Johnson Central Campaign Club, brought out the solid men of New-York to a greater extent than any assemblage of the kind that has been seen during the campaign. It was estimated by good judges that three quarters of the capital of this city was represented there. The entire street was blocked up, from Hanover-street to far above William-street, by such an audience as is seldom seen collected together at one time, in one place, all actuated by the same motive—a desire for the salvation and unity of their country. Men of all parties and creeds fraternized on that stand. Old Democrats like Peter Cooper, Hiram Walbridge and A. W. Spies joined hands with Moses H. Grinnell, A. A. Low and George Opdyke.

The Corn Exchange and the New-York Produce Exchange each attended the meeting in a body, headed by their respective Presidents, and out of the long list of Vice Presidents nine-tenths of the gentlemen named were actually present. From the character of the gentlemen who took part in it, from the unusual interests that they have in the future of this country their united call for the re-election of Abraham Lincoln as the only means of its restoration to Union and prosperity, ought to have great weight with the people of the North. Hon. Charles S. Spencer, President of the club, called the meeting to order, and introduced Moses H. Grinnell, who spoke as follows:

SPEECH OF MOSES H. GRINNELL.

I thank you, fellow-citizens, for this expression of your confidence in me. I regard it as an honor to be called upon to preside over a meeting composed, as this one is, of mer

of the rebellion; against that heresy of secession which was the pretext for the resistance of States when they were defeated at the elections, and is now the pretext of their supporters and abettors for "an immediate suspension of hostilities" to overcome that resistance—and against the evil passions which that resistance and treason have excited, and which stealthily destroy unoffending merchantmen and fishermen on the seas; send ruffians on board passenger ships disguised as passengers, that they may fall upon the unguarded to kill and despoil—which send cowards across the borders disguised as visitors, that they may rob and murder our unsuspecting people, and which are even now engaged in conspiracies to set fire to our chief cities. The result of the contest in which the nation is now struggling will show whether we have a stable government, capable of maintaining itself as our fathers supposed, or whether our political society must be resolved in its elements. The real ultimate question which this war is to solve is, whether the United States of America constitute a nation or a confederation of nations; whether New-York, Georgia and California are parts of one nation, or three nations united by a federal bond dissoluble at will. There can be no permanent Union without a common Government, and no Government without the power of coercing refractory members, whether individuals or States. If there be any such supporters of Gen. McCLELLAN, their conduct is strangely at variance with their opinions. In the midst of a war which the rebels began, and which they are waging under the twin banners of slavery and secession, the supporters of McCLELLAN falsely calling themselves Democrats, demand an immediate suspension of hostilities, with a view to an ultimate convention of the States. To ask a suspension of hostilities from rebels in arms is to confess either that we have not the right to coerce rebellious States, or that we have not the ability to coerce them. To adopt the former alternative is to confess ourselves Secessionists; to adopt the latter is to confess ourselves cowards. To go for a convention of the States is to go for a change of the Constitution; to offer it to the rebels is to offer such a change as they demand, and that change is an acknowledgement of both slavery and secession. Therefore, fellow-citizens o New-York, if you think that your prosperity and honor do not require the permanent Union of the States, you can pronounce for McCLELLAN and the platform of principles which the Chicago Convention laid down for himself and his supporters. You are told that Mr. LINCOLN has made a mistake in his administration of the National Government. Let that be granted, for the sake of the argument: it is no reason for throwing away a national Government altogether. It is rather a reason for all true men to stand together, and by their counsel and cooperation correct whatever mistakes may have been made. It is not so much Mr. LINCOLN, as Mr. LINCOLN'S cause, that we wish you to support; it is not so much in his defence as in the defence of the country, that we ask your suffrages. It is not so much for his honor as for the honor of the flag of our common land, that we urge you to labor. They may complain of his administration as they will; they cannot say that he has ever despaired of the Republic, or has ever thought of "a suspension of hostilities," so long as traitors in arms are holding our fortresses, flouting their rebel banners in our faces, burning our merchant ships, making raids over the borders, and denying food and shelter to our soldiers whom the fortune of war has placed in their hands. You are told that the nation has already contracted a debt of three thousand millions. We need not tell you that this is a gross exaggeration, made after the manner of the enemies of the Government; but we answer, further, that it is better to have a national debt of five thousand or ten thousand millions, than not to have a nation at all. We need not tell you who they are that support McCLELLAN. You know them well yourselves. That some of them, though misguided, are well-wishers of the country, we will not deny. But there are others, about whose wishes and designs, and the evil nature of them, there can be no mistake. You know that at the beginning of the war, one of their present leaders, then Mayor of this city, proposed that it should itself secede from both the Union and the State, and declare itself a free city—a proposal which would reduce it to the position, and, in a few years, to the size of Hamburg; and which may serve to show upon what a tempestuous sea of theories you may be tossed if you once swing away from the moorings of the Constitution. The same man sent to the Governor of Georgia his apology for the stoppage of arms on their way to the rebels, indicating, it would seem, that "the ways of the men of peace" are to give arms to the rebels and take them from ourselves. You know also that later in the war others of "the Democratic leaders" sought interviews with Lord Lyons; that they then declared to him "the plans and hopes of the Democratic party;" that they gave him to understand that "the subject uppermost in their minds" was "foreign mediation" between the North and the South; that they *desired* "to put an end to the war, even at the risk of losing the Southern States altogether;" and that "if their own party was in power, they would accept an offer of mediation." You know further, that the presses which are the advocates of McCLELLAN, are ever belittling the successes and magnifying the reverses of the national arms. Union men of New-York, when you go to the polls on Tuesday next, remember that every disunionist among us is for McCLELLAN. Merchants of New-York, remember that every repudiator of the national debt is for McCLELLAN. Mechanics of New-York, remmember that they who stigmatize your employment as base and your position as degraded, have rebelled against your Government, and the supporters of McCLELLAN are for making terms with them before they have submitted. All you who labor with your hands for your daily bread, remember that they who claim that the laborer should be a slave, and that he who employs him should own him, have rebelled against your Government; and that the supporters of McCLELLAN are for conciliating them before they have yielded to its authority. All you, of whatever calling, who have fathers, brothers or sons on Southern fields or in Southern graves, remember that the supporters of McCLELLAN are for "an immediate suspension of hostilities," against those who have slain the dead, and who, with bloody hands, still defy the living heroes who are struggling and suffering beneath your flag to maintain the priceless good of a free and united country, stronger than traitors, for yourselves and your posterity.

RESOLUTIONS.

Resolved, That the present is not a contest between parties in their ordinary sense, but between unconditional Unionists on the one hand, and disunionists with conditional Unionists, on the other.

Resolved, That the maintenance of the Union in the plenitude of its authority over all the States and all the inhabitants thereof, is one of the highest duties of American citizens, as without it there can be neither assured freedom for the people nor permanent peace between the States.

Resolved, That while every rebel in arms and every sympathiser with rebellion, who has not the courage to take up arms, every disunionist and every repudiator desires the election of McClellan, it becomes the duty of all citizens to array themselves on the other side to prevent his election.

Resolved, That between Mr. LINCOLN, with the Baltimore platform, and Gen. McCLELLAN, with the Chicago platform, no loyal citizen should hesitate in his choice; since the former represents an undivided country under a Government capable of maintaining its integrity, and the latter represents a country which either cannot or ought not to maintain itself by force of arms against an armed rebellion.

Resolved, That we exhort all electors of this great city to exercise their right of suffrage on Tuesday nex . No citizen can be an indifferent spectator of such a contest as that to which we are now engaged, and since the election of Gen. McCLELLAN, as he now stands before the country, would be a great public calamity, it is the duty of all good citizens to vote for Mr. LINCOLN, even of those who do not approve all the acts of his administration, for his bitterest enemies cannot deny that he has honestly endeavored to do his duty to the whole country, and that he is now the representative of our cause, our people, and our nationality.

Resolved, That the commerce of New-York is indebted for its extraordinary development to the Union of the States under a common Government, the merchants of this city are ready to make any sacrifices that may be necessary to uphold that Union and the Government by which it is maintained, and they pledge themselves to their fellow-citizens, here and elsewhere throughout the country, that no depredations upon their commerce, and no interruption of their business, shall make them forget that the traitors are the foes of the most loyal support of the Union, the constitution and the laws.

At this point a delegation from the Produce Exchange arrived, headed by GEORGE D. GRAICHE, Esq., representing nine-tenths of that body. They were received by the President, and greeted with prolonged cheers. The Chairman said Gen. WALBRIDGE was deputed to speak for the gentlemen of the Produce Exchange.

SPEECH OF GEN. WALBRIDGE.

Gen. H. WALBRIDGE then said:

MY COUNTRYMEN: Within three years three hundred thousand men, in the vigor of health, and in the pride of their early manhood, have voluntarily lain down to die, that the commerce might live to which you arrive. Two hundred thousand more are maimed and crippled, that that trade might survive which is to make you masters of the world. Three thousand millions of dollars in treasure, mortgaging our future, have already been spent, that that agriculture might be sustained on which both trade and commerce rely. Do you inquire how. The constitution of the Government of the United States is a commercial necessity. It was instituted to protect commerce, guarantee trade, and foster agriculture. It has already borne the glories of the American character into every part of the habitable globe. In the lifetime of a single man it made the United States one of the four great cardinal powers, influencing the destinies of the human race. That constitution, and the government it guarantees, have carried us successfully through two foreign wars. It has proved adequate when assailed by the most formidable nations from abroad. It will prove adequate when assailed by malignant traitors at home, while our victorious legions are planting their standards and our civilization on the soil of the rebellious States, let us nerve their arms, and animate their hearts, as we hold up to the moral execration of mankind the infamy of that craven cowardice, which insists upon any cessation of hostilities, until the Constitution is again thoroughly reestablished and recognized over all the States that constitute this great American Union.

"The struggle may be arduous, and the conflict long, but the result is inevitable; my countrymen, be not discouraged; from adversity we derive our most salutary lessons; God is just and Jehovah reigns. Each generation must bear its just proportion by contributing to that vast fund of moral power on which the foundations of a well-regulated constitutional government can alone be based.

History no where records, results so gigantic, as those that have been effected by the Constitutional Government in so brief a period of time. The Chicago platform tells us that the war is a "failure." It is true that the war *is not ended*, but it *is not a failure*. When the rebels began the war, they held nearly everything south of the Ohio and Potomac rivers, and were almost masters of Missouri. But now they are removed from Maryland, Western Virginia, Kentucky, Missouri, Tennessee, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi and half of Alabama and Georgia. They had States and territories under their control equal to more than a million of square miles, and now they control less than one-third of the same area. They claimed about 12,000,000 of population, and now they control about 4,000,000. Is it a failure for men to win from the hands of traitors a territory twelve times as large as England, and a population equal to one half her people? Is it a failure for the Government that our armies have opened the Mississippi River, whose shores were at one time lined with batteries in the hands of rebels, but on which the people can now travel and trade in peace as in the happy days of old? Tell me, my friends, is it a failure that we have recovered a territory as large as France, Germany and Great Britain united, with eight millions of population, and hold it so firm that treason is now reduced to a narrow habitation along the Atlantic States? I answer, No! It is not a failure. The heroism and patriotism of our brothers have won a splendid reward.

There shall be no separation between the constitutional men of the North and the constitutional Unionists of the South. Our fathers fought together; they bled together; they laid together the foundations of our Constitutional Government, and this gigantic war, forced upon us to preserve it, shall never be abandoned till we have rescued from that accursed despotism, now controlled by the rebellious oligarchy, our Southern loyalists, and then we shall live again together, sharing a common civilization, in a common country, protected by a common Constitution, and bound together to share a common fate.

Since the origin of the rebellion citizens of the City of New-York have properly comprehended their relation to the struggle, and have properly realized that the future growth and destiny of this metropolis is contingent upon the preservation of the Union. Therefore to accomplish this end we have met every requisition both of men and means, that would contribute to the desired result. The rebellious leaders, since the inauguration of the rebellion, have constantly looked forward, both to a recognition of their Confederacy by the leading Powers of Europe, and to a division of sentiment among the people of the North, that would inure to their benefit, and aid the fortunes of their cause. Their first reliance has signally failed. Recognition of the Southern Confederacy will never transpire, if we are true to the Constitutional cause. They hoped to secure it by cotton. We shall prevent it by bread, while we continue to grow that by which the nations of Europe live. No subtle diplomacy is required to prevent intervention in our intenecine strife.

Can any man discharge his duty to his country by sustaining a platform, and supporting candidates pledged to it, which is employed as a means by which traitors in arms against the constitutional power of the Government are invoked to return to the tyranny of those rebellious leaders, who are striving to overthrow the Government. If the leaders of the Chicago Democracy anticipate such action from the American people, it only demonstrates their utter inability to appreciate the intelligence and patriotism of the American people.

While Gen. McCLELLAN attempts to repudiate the platform, no sensible man believes that, if elected, he would be able to withstand the controlling influence of those who have placed him in nomination. Good faith and justice demands alike that he should decline to be a candidate of an organization whose creed he will not sustain. But admitting he could resist the persistent pressing influence of those who would have a right to control him, can the American people take the risk of committing the Executive Department of the Government to his associate on the ticket?

Should the Chicago nominees succeed, in the contingency of the death of Gen. McCLELLAN, Mr. PENDLETON would be invested with the executive seals of power. With his past Congressional record of unbroken hostility to the war, and I presume his conscientious opposition to it, can the American people take such a tremendous risk on the life of a single man? But, says Mr. PENDLETON, I see no hope for the country except in a restoration of the Democracy. If he means thereby the Chicago Democracy, it must be over a country divided, a flag dishonored and a civilization disgraced. Can we risk the fortunes of this great Constitutional Government and the hopes and happiness of the American people to a President called to power by VALLANDIGHAM, who had the hardihood, as the representative of a loyal people, to deliberately propose the division of the American Union into four Confederacies, and thus overthrow the only free representative Government on earth.

Something is due to the men who have left friends and home and kindred to bleed and suffer, and if needs be die, to uphold the great cause of Constitutional Government, and while they are in front, amid the shock of battle and the storm of war, shall we inaugurate a policy which renders all their past labor vain, and their sacrifices useless. If the departed spirits of the illustrious dead, fallen in this great conflict, either in battle or wasted by disease, could return to animate and encourage those who are to decide the Presidential struggle, think you, they would advocate a platform which reflects upon their memory and ignores the sacredness of the cause in which they fell. They attested their devotion with their blood, and while virtue is respected and courage revered they will forever remain embalmed in the hearts of their surviving countrymen.

MERCHANTS.

There is an intimate relation to the success of the Constitutional Government and the business in which we are engaged, for this conflict involves the material as well as the political and social interests of the country. The magnitude and extent of these interests are shown by the sacrifices already made. The question very pertinently rises, ought not the men who control these great interests to have their voices heard in the administration of public affairs, at a time that politicians have brought the Republic to its present unfortunate condition? And shall the latter longer absorb the public confidence, direct the public councils, paralyze the public energies, and weaken by incompetency the public credit, or shall the men who represent the material interests, who devote their lives to trade, commerce and manufacture, to the development of the industrial interests on which the prosperity of the country rests, together with the agricultural classes, who have heretofore abstained from taking active participation in public affairs? Shall the lethargy longer continue? or shall we, having reference to the great interests that we represent, demand a just recognition of our own views in the control and administration of the Government? It is true, that in your private pursuits you may find employment more genial to your tastes than in the unworthy scramble for office and the associations connected with politics. But can you elect to remain indifferent and passive when the remedy is in your own hands? Do not the great interests with which we are identified demand some expression from the commercial, mercantile and producing classes? Shall it be said that we are more indifferent to all concerning the honor, influence and destiny, and to what effect the prosperity of the country than other classes? If the elements that you represent are indispensable to the success of the war; if the peace with foreign nations is only preserved through the elements under your control, shall we not rise to the dignity of the occasion, and claim for these interests their legitimate power in the formation of public judgment and control public questions? I am fully aware how distasteful public employment is to the great body of the highly intelligent, patriotic, well-informed mercantile classes; but is not something due from them to the country? Let us not forget that if we fail to exercise our legitimate share in the public confidence, these interests under our control will be represented by others. All admit the Government would never have been in its present unhappy condition; the civil strife had never been inaugurated; war, bloody desolating war, never could have taken place, within the limits of this once peaceful and happy Union, if the mercantile, commercial and manufacturing classes of the country had been as alive to their own interests, and the prosperity of the country, as were the assiduous, persistent, energetic politicians who have produced these calamitous results. If these convictions are founded in justice, our duty is imperative, our course is plain. We must demand that our legitimate influence be felt, and that the class on whom rest the material prosperity of the Republic, are to have some voice in the administration of the Government.

[Gen. WALBRIDGE was listened to with great attention and enthusiastically applauded.]

The Chairman introduced Hon. S. B. CHITTENDEN, who was warmly greeted. He said:

SPEECH OF HON. S. B. CHITTENDEN.

Fellow-citizens: On Tuesday next the endless rhetoric which this Presidential campaign has given birth to will be practically all condensed and printed on narrow strips of paper, in two proper names. One party will write LINCOLN and the other McCLELLAN, and such bits of paper, dropped into the ballot-box, one by one, shall, on that eventful day, solve the sublimest problem of the age. (Cheers.) This problem comprehends substantially all the mighty issues for which this youthful and strong nation has struggled since the Declaration of Independence in 1776, and if we fail now to vindicate the right, our great American republic will become a miserable wreck. Let us rise, then, to the dignity of our trust as American citizens. We have no time to lose; let us grasp the thoughts and the purposes; let us copy the courage and the patriotism of WASHINGTON, JEFFERSON and JACKSON, that we may save the Republic. (Cheers.) And how shall we save it? I am not here, my fellow-citizens, to speak for any man, or for any political party or interest. God forbid that I should do that. Nay, I cannot do it, for I believe, to use the words of another, "that our politics are in that condition which usually precedes the destruction of a nation," and that when we have crushed the rebellion it will be our first duty to put down corrupt politicians. I am to speak, then, simply my own sincere convictions, and my appeal is to your patriotism and your intelligence. The question is this: Shall we vote for ABRAHAM LINCOLN or GEORGE B. MCCLELLAN? For my part I believe that a vote for LINCOLN is a vote to save the Republic, and if I live until Tuesday I shall vote for him. [Loud applause.] On the other hand, I believe a vote for McCLELLAN, disguise it as you may, means an ignominious surrender to JEFFERSON DAVIS, and I implore all who love their country to consider the matter well before they vote that way. [Cheers.] I make no account now of the candidates themselves. Neither of them can do anything except as they are supported by their respective parties. It is the policy and the principles they represent with which we have to do. What, then is the policy, and what are the principles represented by the respective candidates; and how do the voters divide with reference to them? Take LINCOLN first—what is his policy? Mr. LINCOLN and his party demand simply this: that the rebels against the Government of WASHINGTON, JEFFERSON and JACKSON shall lay down their arms. We declare, in the words of the immortal JACKSON, "the Union must and shall be preserved," submitting all minor questions to the courts under the constitution. Does anbody believe that if ANDREW JACKSON was now living upon the earth he would be a Chicago platform man? No man dare stand at the grave of the old hero, and speak his name, and say that he would ask the rebels of our time—who took their first lessons in treason in his day of JOHN C. CALHOUN—for an "immediate cessation of hostilities." [Cheers.] Mr. LINCOLN and his party, then, stand where JACKSON stood. Our great armies and their successful leaders so understand it. Without regard to their previous party affiliations, GRANT, SHERMAN, SHERIDAN and FARRAGUT all fight for the Union on that line; and they, with their armies—which are now the pride and glory of the nation and the hope of the world—all vote as they fight. [Cheers.] What more do you require? If you cannot rely upon the patriotism, fidelity and intelligence of the brave men who divorce themselves from home and friends, and accept every hazard to life and limb to defend your homes and your all from the enemies of your country, in whom will you confide? Whose lead will you follow? [Applause.] And now who are the men who support McCLELLAN, and what their policy? In the first place, all who declare that the rebellion can never be subdued, and all who sympathize with it, at home and abroad—they support McCLELLAN. [Cries of "That's so."] If there be a merchant or banker, or a banker's agent, here or elsewhere, who deals largely in Confederate scrip for himself or his masters—he supports McCLELLAN. [Cheers.] If there be financial pretenders who may have consumed tons of paper and rivers of ink to prove that Mr. CHASE ought to have managed the finances of the country so that the New-York banks, or some of them, could have maintained specie payments during this gigantic war—they support McCLELLAN, and will be happy to furnish his Treasury Department with a Secretary. [Cheers and laughter.] All who declare that the nation is bankrupt, that greenbacks are worthless, and that the popular five-twenty bonds will, and ought to be, repudiated, support McCLELLAN. VALLANDIGHAM, the exiled traitor, who truthfully boasts that he wrote all that is material in the Chicago platform—he and FERNANDO WOOD support him. [Groans for poor VALLANDIGHAM.] The rebel Vice-President supports him, and in his last published letter declares that the Chicago platform furnishes "the only ray of light visible." JEFFERSON DAVIS supports him, and in his frantic speech at Columbia on the 6th of Oct., besought his people, especially deserters from his armies to return and do their utmost for thirty days to elect the "Peace candidate;" and in anticipation of his election the Charleston *Mercury* announces that "President DAVIS has been prevailed upon to grant an armistice to the North," claiming "that the Yankees have openly confessed that they are whipped," (meaning, of course, Gov. SEYMOUR.) [Cheers and cries of yes, that's SEYMOUR.] Now, my countrymen, look at that picture! No doubt some good and true men will vote for McCLELLAN, but whoever votes for him votes as JEFF. DAVIS wishes him to vote, and it cannot be denied that his most influential supporters at present belong to some one of the classes I have named. Is McCLELLAN great enough and strong enough to conduct that party and platform to peace, honor and union? ("No.") He can no more do it than Lot could save Sodom! But the opponents of Mr. LINCOLN declare that the war is a failure; and Gov. SEYMOUR, whose patriotism "paused" when VALLANDIGHAM was exiled—the man who persuaded his "friends" with gentle rhetoric not to burn orphan asylums and hang negroes to lamp-posts in our streets—tells this story the oftenest. [Groans for SEYMOUR.] He said that at the Academy of Music on the Fourth of July, 1863, just at the hour that GRANT entered Vicksburgh, and as the news of Gettsburgh came over the wires. He repeated it on the 20th of August this year, at Chicago, the night before SHERMAN entered Atlanta, and unless he is whirled into that obscurity next Tuesday which his sympathy with treason and his covert acts in aid of it predict as his just and final doom, he will undoubtedly repeat the same speech again, just before GRANT captures Richmond, and puts an end to him and his "friends." And he is right. He knows what he means. The war has failed to place him and his confederates, North and South, in possession of the Government of this country, and God be praised for that. [Cheers.] The war is a failure! No, thank God, it is not a failure in the eyes or judgment of loyal men—nor in vain. We shall shortly ascend an eminence from which the splendid significance of this contest will be surveyed, and our land will be repaid for all we have suffered. That sunny country—now burned over and made desolate by war—shall become the garden of the world, inviting all the nations of the earth to come and enjoy its liberty, its beauty, and its prosperity. [Cheers.] Let us then be resolute, faithful and steadfast. We fight for the race, and we are to vote next Tuesday for mankind. Our cause is great, for it fairly makes the earth on which we tread to tremble in its progress. Our cause is just, and will surely triumph, for it rests upon the Rock of Ages, and is upheld by His immutable will who hath declared that righteousness exalteth a nation. It attracts now the attention, and will in the end command the admiration of the whole civilized world, as it also defies the utmost malice of rebels and traitors. Let us, then, seek fellowship with the exalted spirits of the noble men who founded this nation, that we may gain a fresh inspiration of patriotism from their pure example, that we may thus bequeath to our children unimpaired our precious and priceless inheritance of free institutions, and God help us to be firm, faithful and true to the last! [Great applause.]

The Chairman said they had expected to hear today the gallant son of Massachusetts, Major-Gen. BUTLER. [Cheers.] He was unable to be present; but he would introduce to them another gentleman from that noble State, whom every lover of the Union would be delighted to listen to—Hon. RICHARD H. DANA, Jr. [Prolonged applause.]

SPEECH OF HON. RICHARD DANA, JR.

MR. PRESIDENT AND GENTLEMEN, MERCHANTS OF NEW-YORK:—Your chairman has reminded you that I am from Massachusetts. There is one Massachusetts name I hope you have not altogether forgotten. I believe it was on this spot DANIEL WEBSTER told us that the commercial classes in this country carried through the Constitution and more perfect Union, against the apathy of some and the opposition of others. [Cheers.] The inconveniences of the confederation pressed more directly upon the business interests, and were felt most deeply by those who had foreign and international relations. For three-quarters of a century you have lived under this Constitution. It has made New-York one of the commercial and financial centres of the globe. And now, at its grand *climacteric*, you are called upon to meet the great question whether it shall live or die. [Cheers.] Shall we say with WASHINGTON, JACKSON and WEBSTER, the Union shall be preserved, or with the electioneerers at Chicago, let it be dissolved. [Cries of "Never!"] It was my fortune, Sir, just before the rebellion began, to travel over over a great part of the inhabited globe. If I had never been a patriot before, that experience would have made me a devotee of the National unity and authority. In every corner of the earth, the merchant ship, the trader, the poor shipwrecked sailor, with nothing but the clothes in which he swam to the beach, the unowned Missionary, the child in the cradle, were as sacred as an annointed King, for they belonged to the Great Republic. The Stars and Stripes waved over these. Our commerce was everywhere. The whaling fleet was almost wholly ours. We had surpassed England in our sailing-vessels. I looked to see, yet, our steam marine encompassing the globe. I looked to see a more liberal and enlightened public policy extend it along the eastern and western coasts of South America, and across the Pacific, from San Francisco to the Sandwich Islands and China and Japan; and thus New-York, by her Western communications, by telegraph and steam, rival London as the commercial exchange and banking-house of the world. [Cheers.] But how is it now? All is broken off, and almost disappeared. Our ships are hiding their heads ignominiously under foreign flags, New-York and Boston are painted off their sterns, to make way for uncouth names in unknown tongues. How is it to be hereafter? Is the great Republic to be restored, in its grandeur, with its great future before it? Or are we to dissolve into two, three, or more conflicting, despised confederacies? The election of the 8th of November is to determine that question, in all human probability. There are but two possible causes. We must fight this war through, until the authority of the United States is recognized, as of right; yes, Sir, without conditions or compromises, and as of right, in all parts of the land, or surrender our national existence. Chicago calls upon us to stop the war. It leaves the Confederacy a completed, perfected, independent empire, on the soil of the United States—recognized as such at once by the world. It draws our troops from all the seceded States, and once more the rebel cannon command your capital and White House alike. It raises the blockade, and at once all the tonnage of christendom is employed in running cotton out of the rebel States, and supplies of war and peace into them. JEFFERSON DAVIS is enthroned at Richmond. He has triumphed; you have failed. With his ministers in every court, and ministers of all nations at his court at Richmond—with his treaties and alliances perfected—you are then, and there, and thus, to invite him to join you in reconstructig a union of the States. There could never be a Union again. A constitution on their terms he would never accept. The principle of secession would have triumphed, and the poison of disintegration introduced into the body-politic, to work until he lose limb after limb, and at last life itself. [Cheers.] This is the only issue. Have the Americans the power and the will to preserve their national existence? Wherever men may hesitate or doubt, or falter, that should never be at this centre[illegible] centre of our land. All you have and are or ever hope to be, is wrapped up in the preservation of a powerful, stable, respectable and respected nationality. From New-York the enemies of ALEXANDER HAMILTON and the calm wisdom of JOHN JAY went forth to meet the issues of that hour, and the American people laid deep and broad the foundations of our prosperity and honor. The world, the people of your sister States, future generations have the right to demand of New-York that she will lay her mighty hand to the work of our preservation. [Applause.]

SPEECH OF HON. WM. M. EVARTS.

The Chairman next introduced Hon. WM. M. EVARTS, who was received with great enthusiasm. He congratulated the merchants of New-York that by the large and influential meeting he had the honor to address, they relieved themselves from the reproach which was sought to be cast upon them on Monday afternoon. He had never known so impudent an assumption of speech and action as that pretended representation of the merchants and bankers of New-York. In the call of the present meeting, in the list of officers and the great crowd of solid and substantial men, there was not absent a well-known name of the commerce of New-York. [Cheers.] It would be strange indeed, if, when all the rest of the country, all the population were so full of deep solicitude, so earnest and energetic, the merchants of New-York should alone stand idly looking on. The issue of this election involved all that was dear to a patriot. Our birthright and manhood were both at stake. Mr. EVARTS, in an address of great power and logic, went on to show now our birthright as a free people, and our manhood, depended upon putting down this rebellion against the authority of our Government, by force, without compromise or armistice, or any treaty with traitors in arms. As his friend, Mr. DANA, had said, the only way *out of* this business was the way *through* it; the only way to meet this rebellion was to march over it. [Loud cheers.] If *now* they had not the manhood to maintain their birthright, they need never expect to be able to do so in the future. The men and means were with us; if we failed it must be by *poltroonery*. [Cries of "We never will."] And that was the proposition made by the Chicago platform—that we could not maintain our liberties, and had better make terms with our enemies. [A Voice—"We will maintain them," and cheers.] If we did not have the wisdom and courage to maintain this Government we never would have; and to hope that the offspring of such degenerate sires would redeem what we had so ingloriously yielded, would be vain. It was not merely getting through the war; it was not merely having peace; it was not merely having a Union, that was involved; but it was the *manner* in which we get through the war;—it was a Union established by force of arms, and not by compromise with rebels, that we should have. [Applause.] The proposition is, that every man, whoever he may be, shall be made to obey the President he does not like just as much as the President he does. [Cheers.] He must obey the majority, when it is made up of what our Southern minority call "greasy mechanics and mudsills," as much as if made up of the "best blood," as they call it, of the South. [Applause.] It is a matter of substance, of good faith. Our Government is either a Government or it is not, and coaxing and armistice do not make up a Government of power and influence. [Applause.]

SPEECH OF HON. DAN. P. TYLER

Hon. D. P. TYLER, of Connecticut, was next introduced, and roused the enthusiasm of his audience by allusions to the old flag, which rebels fired upon at Fort Sumter. Should we treat with these men?

When, on one occasion, the Romans were about to purchase their safety from Brennus, with gold, an old Senator rushed into the Capitol and exclaimed, "Rome must be redeemed by steel, and not by gold." So say I to you; our country must be redeemed by shot, and shell, and steel, and not by compromise! [Vehement cheers.] There are two candidates in the field. One, ABRAHAM LINCOLN, who stands six feet two inches, and every inch a man. [Cheers.] The other, GEO. B. MCCLELLAN. I say nothing of him. His military career would not take long to tell. What civil service he has rendered I could never discover. I understand he was once superintendent of a western railroad, however, and there he has learned that it is dangerous to stand upon the platform. [Cheers and laughter.]

On motion the meeting then adjourned, to meet again at the polls on Tuesday, and the assembly departed, giving hearty cheers for LINCOLN and the Union cause.

National Resolutions.

The following comprehensive resolutions, condensing the constitutional questions now before the nation, were offered by Mr. SAMUEL B. RUGGLES, and adopted with great approbation, at the recent meeting of the citizens of the Eighth Congressional District, to ratify the nomination of WM. E. DODGE:

1. That the impending Presidential election is fraught with consequences of unparalleled importance to the city of New-York, as the commercial centre of the American Union, and that the character and power of this metropolis, and the prosperity, safety and peace of its population, not only for the present, but all coming generations, are staked on the result.

2. That this momentous conflict presents the one great and transcendent issue, and only one, the preservation of the National Government of our States as united by the National Constitution; compared with which all other or minor questions of administration, or of the condition of races, are wholly subordinate and insignificant.

3. That the Constitution of the United States called into being and created a Government and a Nation, with national powers distinctly specified, but absolutely supreme and sovereign within the limits thus specified—and that no reservation of residuary powers to the States or to the people, in any way impaired or affected the nationality of the powers vested in the Government of the nation, by the Constitution.

4. That the Constitution in no way confers upon or reserves to the States any shadow of right to secede from the Union—nor is it in any sense a "compact" between the States, but, on the contrary, is the solemn, deliberate and irrevocable act of the whole people of the United States in their primary capacity separately voting by States; by which a Government of perpetual authority over the whole, was firmly, and indestructibly "constituted" and established.

5. That the "Union," thus established as a political unit is a "National" and not a "Federal" Union, and that it was so created in direct and intentional contradistinction to the preexisting "Confederation," which was "federal" both in name and character. That the very significant omission in the Constitution of the Second Article of the "Confederation," which had reserved to each State "its sovereignty, freedom and independence," decisively shows, that it was the primary and fundamental object of the Constitution to take that "sovereignty" from the States, precisely to the extent to which it was granted to and vested in the Government of the Union.

6. That holding these views of the legitimate national sovereignty of the Government, this meeting utterly reprobates any and every pretence of claim to "ultimate" sovereignty in the States within the limits of the sovereignty of the Union, and that they hold all such pretences and claims to be not only groundless but highly dangerous and treasonable in their character and tendency.

7. That the existing insurrection in a portion of the Union South of the Potomac, by the misguided insurgents unlawfully claiming to be "Confederated" in States, is an act of open treason against the legitimate authority of the Government of the United States, and that every consideration of public dignity and permanent power requires that it be put down by the whole military, naval, and financial power of the Nation, and that too without cessation or interruption;—and that any declaration or pretence in any quarter that the pending effort to suppress this rebellion is a "failure," necessarily implies that the Government itself is a "failure," and is now on the brink of disruption and ruin, an allegation which should be immediately met by increased courage, determination and fidelity by every loyal supporter of the Government.

8. That the continuance of this necessary national effort may be costly, but is the only path of duty and honor, and that, in any event, it will cost more to go back than to go manfully forward. That the resources of the nation, both existing and dormant, if wisely administered and developed, will amply suffice to meet any amount we may necessarily expend in preserving the national life.

9. That with the views above expressed, our duty in the coming election is unmistakably manifest to continue ABRAHAM LINCOLN in the Presidential chair for another term, with ANDREW JOHNSON as Vice-President, as reliable exponents and safe custodians of the national authority, and fully competent to carry the nation through its present dangers.

FROM FORTRESS MONROE.

FORTRESS MONROE, Wednesday, Nov. 2.

The list of deaths in the Hampton Hospital, since my last report, including those brought there dead, is as follows:

D S Divine, 117th N Y.
Albert Brayton, 142d N Y.
Geo B Lanroy, 118th N Y.
Wm Hallon, 20th N Y.
Clark W Hall, 1st N Y Mounted Rifles.
Geo L Fradenburg, 1st N Y Mounted Rifles.
Martin Billings, 13th N Y Battery.
Jas Somers, 188th Penn.
Ezra Daniels, 58th Penn.
Wm W Smuts, 142d Ohio.
A J Myers, 67th Ohio.
Jas Johnson, 39th Illinois.
Geo W Price, 5th Maryland.
Jas Martin, 18th Ga (rebel.)
Floyd Rustin, 29th Conn.
R L Benson, 5th Vermont.
Geo Smith, 3d New Hampshire.
Chas M Smith, 2d N H.
Wm O Heath, 10th N H.
Dan M Currie, 51st N C (rebel.)
Richard Bess, Quartermaster's Department.
Wm Bateman, seaman
Chas Brooks, seaman.
Jas McDaniels, regiment unknown.
Levi Boyer, 8th U S Colored.
Wm Bildridge, 117th U S Colored.

Guerrillas in Kentucky.

ATTACK ON THE LOUISVILLE AND NASHVILLE RAILROAD.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Thursday, Nov. 3.

The *Journal* says that a gang of guerrillas made an attack on the Louisville and Nashville Railroad yesterday, striking it at Cave City. Several negroes and soldiers were captured and killed. The scoundrels, after the perpetration of this outrage, retreated from the road in great haste.

THE ARMY OF THE JAMES.

Ridiculous Jubilee of the Richmond Papers Over the Last Movement—The Real Object and Result of the Movement—Its Utter Insignificance Respecting the Final Issue—Our Strength and the Enemy's Weakness—How the Army Feels About it.

From Our Own Correspondent.

HEADQUARTERS ARMY OF THE JAMES, Friday, Oct. 30, 1864.

I send you Richmond papers of yesterday, containing comments upon the affair of Thursday night, and, as usual, you will, of course, find them full of the common glorification of the defeat of the Yankees, but at the same time allowing here and there expressions to leak out, betraying some little lack of faith in the cause of their own rejoicings. For instance, the *Sentinel*, of the 29th, while commenting upon the matter and pointing out our utter defeat, says:

"The Yankees have gained the advantage of a good position on the plank-road, which, if they hold it, will enable them to extend their foraging limits and to ruin a few more Southern homesteads. They may also be in a better position for raiding on the Southside Railroad, but otherwise we cannot consider that they have gained any vital advantage."

This is really allowing us even more than we wanted, or rather, I should say, aimed at in the present movement; for it is now distinctly understood by every one, even if the official report of the Lieutenant-General did not confirm it, that this last movement was nothing more nor less than "*an advance in force for the purpose of reconnoissance.*" Had the immediate object been the seizure and holding of the Boydton Plank-road, and we had succeeded in it, as the *Sentinel* somewhat prematurely acknowledges, the writer would have discovered already—as he very probably soon will have to discover—that such a stride on our part might be called a very "vital advantage."

The *Sentinel*, in another place, says:

"We venture to say that the Yankees will have more hard fighting to do, if they persist in attempting to hold the plank road."

Of course they will; everybody knows that; but we also know that the rebels will have more hard fighting to do, if they persist in attempting to hold either Petersburgh or Richmond; and *we* also know how that attempt—no matter how long it lasts—must and will terminate.

The result of the whole last movement, divested of all the customary details which your correspondents at the left, and hitherto at the right, will have long since laid before you, amounts simply to this: Lieut.-Gen. GRANT, deeming that the time had arrived for taking the *initiative* toward striking some grand and final blow, determined to ascertain beforehand the actual strength of the enemy on the left. Such an investigation could only be effected by concentrating a large body of troops, to feel their way through a country comparatively unknown to us, but every part of it familiar to the enemy; a country, too, replete with enormous difficulties of woods, and swamps, and creeks, that none can conceive who have not seen it, and, moreover, defended by every artifice of strength that the foe can bring to bear.

While concentrating this force on our left, orders were simultaneously sent to the Commander of this department not to attack, but only to engage the attention of the enemy on the right, for the double purpose of preventing them from massing in overwhelming numbers against our left, and to ascertain their actual strength in this direction. The enemy was found intrenched and his works manned in every direction; and a fight ensued, the results of which are before your readers. The enemy attacked us in our advanced positions, (HANCOCK at one time reaching the Boydton, and BUTLER the Yorktown road,) were admirably repulsed, and, after having accomplished the purpose of the movement, our troops—unable to do more in so dark and stormy a night—quietly withdrew to their old positions to await further developments. If we do not herald the results of this movement as a grand "victory"—for such was really not its aim at all—it is impossible to conceive how the rebel papers—and by a very natural process the Copperhead ones among us—can have the impudence to be claiming one on their side; for it is quite evident that they must *proportionably* have suffered much more than we did; and this not for the purpose of gaining any advantage, present or prospective, but merely to ward us off.

In anything like a fair comparison, even taking man for man and material for material, we had decidedly the advantage; and, advantage much magnified, when we remember our facilities for recuperating, as compared with the cribbed, cabined and confined condition of the enemy. I said "*fair* comparison," because it is perfectly idle to compete with such unblushing statements as are put forth in the Richmond papers. For instance, here is the *Whig* of the 29th deliberately stating: "Our loss in killed and wounded is not over 150; in prisoners we lost *probably* 400;" when I myself saw at City Point at least 800 prisoners in *one single batch*, and little squads of 30 and 40 were constantly coming in

Yachting.

VAN DUSEN BROTHERS, naval architects and ship-builders, will launch in a few days a new schooner rigged yacht to be called the *Alarm*, named in honor of the crack yacht of the Royal Yacht Club of England. The new *Alarm* is a beautiful specimen of naval architecture, and is built in the most substantial manner. Her internal fittings are unequaled by any yachts in this country, and far ahead of anything of the kind in Europe. Everything in connection with her has been prepared in a style of oriental luxuriance, and when ready for receiving her crew on board she must be considered one of the finest of her class afloat. This vessel was built for Mr. Moass, the former owner of the *Gypsy*, which went to Europe and outsailed any of the boasted "fleet sailers" of the different yacht squadrons. So fast was the *Gypsy*, that Mr. Moass was importuned to such a degree that he finally sold her and returned home.

He had not completed the *Alarm* before a party here insisted upon purchasing her, for the purpose of cruising in the Mediterranean during the present Winter. Of course she will fall in with the yachts which are cruising in those waters during the Winter months, and we may expect in the course of time to hear of regattas between the *Alarm*, and celebrated English and French pleasure vessels. The *Alarm* is 105 feet on the water line, 116 feet over all, 23 feet 3 inches beam, 10 feet depth of hold, and about 243 tons measurement. She will spread over 3,000 yards of canvas. Much interest is felt among yachtsmen in reference to this new vessel, which is expected to outsail anything afloat.

GRAND UNION TORCHLIGHT PARADE.—A grand Union demonstration and torchlight procession of the friends of LINCOLN and JOHNSON took place on Thursday night in Jersey City, and proved an entire success, there being many thousands of people out, both as participants and lookers-on. Beside, the Central Union and various ward clubs, bearing variegated lanterns, torches and banners, there was a large number of butchers and citizens on horses, veteran soldiers, the Jersey City Locomotive Works Association, trucks, wagons and carriages in great number. A delegation of several hundred was present from Paterson. The dwellings throughout the entire line were quite generally illuminated, and as the procession moved along fireworks were set off in profusion. Some attempt were made to creates disturbances, but in almost every instance the riotously disposed were punished on the spot, and six or eight were arrested by the police. The affair did not close until a late hour.

LAW REPORTS.

Important Tax Case.

COURT OF APPEALS—SEPTEMBER TERM, 1864.

The British Commercial Life Insurance Company, Appellants, vs. The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessors for the City and County of New-York, Respondents.

BY THE COURT: INGRAHAM, J.—The decision of the Court below as to the United States stocks must be considered as correct, under the reviewed decision of the Supreme Court of the United States on the same question. The stock of the United States is exempt from State taxation, and here the assessment is directly made upon such securities. The respondents' counsel concedes this, and does not argue this branch of the case.

It is objected, on the part of the appellants, that the place of assessment should be where the Comptroller resides, upon the ground that he holds the funds as trustee, and he, not the company, should be assessed. The property is the property of the company held by them, but deposited with the Comptroller as security. It would not be taxable if the company did not carry on business in this State. By the provisions of the R. S., vol. 1, (5th ed.,) p. 905, c. 1, all lands and all personal estate within this State, whether owned by individuals or by corporations, are made liable to taxation, and, by section 4, debts due, or bonds, are included under the term "personal estate."

By R. S. (5th ed.,) p. 908, sec. 5, every person is to be assessed in the town or ward where he resides for the personal estate owned by him, and by section 6th, the personal estate of every incorporated company liable to taxation on its capital shall be assessed in the town or ward where the principal office or place for transacting the financial business is located, or where the operations of the company shall be carried on. The return states that the place of business of the corporation is in the City of New-York, which is admitted by the demurrer.

The Act of 1855, sec. 1, provides that all persons and associations doing business in this State, and not residents of the State, shall be assessed and taxed on all sums invested in any manner in said business, the same as if they were residents of the State. Taking these provisions together, I think there can be no difficulty in holding that the place of assessment is the place where the operations of the corporation are carried on.

Generally under "persons" as used in laws providing for taxation, corporations have been included, unless some special provision of law provided in the same case for the taxation of corporations under some other form of assessment. (The People *vs.* Utica Ins. Co., 15 John. 258.) And so corporations have been considered as inhabitants for the proposed taxation. (The Ontario Bank *vs.* Bunnell, 10 Wend. 186.)

These cases show that corporations are to be included under the general term of "persons" in regard to their liability to taxation in the place where they carry on their business, and that there is no ground for the objection that the Corporation was assessed in the city of New-York.

The other question is, whether the plaintiffs are liable to be taxed upon the bonds of the City of Buffalo deposited with the Comptroller. There can be no doubt but that those bonds are included under the term personal estate as used in the statute, and the only question which can arise is, whether it is properly invested in any manner in the business which they carry on. Upon this point there can be but little doubt. The statute prohibits foreign corporations from carrying on business of life insurance until such company have deposited with the Comptroller securities to the amount of $100,000 for the benefit of the policy-holders of the company. (Laws of 1853, ch. 463, sec. 15.)

This deposit with the Comptroller is necessarily made in connection with the business of the company; without it they can do no business, and it is so deposited as to be security to those who may hold policies of the company. It is, therefore, used in the business of the company, and, in fact, forms its capital in this State, which is liable to its creditors, and comes within the definition of capital, as defined in the Mutual Insurance Company *vs.* Supervisors of Erie, (4 Comstock, 448.) These securities, so deposited with the Comptroller, form the same kind of capital as that of a domestic corporation incorporated for a similar purpose, in which the capital is the security for those who deal with it. Neither is actually invested in business and used for that purpose, but both form the basis on which the business is transacted, and the security from which payment of claims is to be enforced.

So far as the assessment was made on the bonds of the city of Buffalo, the same was properly made, and the order appealed from should be affirmed.

Charles A. Rapallo for appellants; Abm. R. Lawrence, Jr., for respondents.

Supreme Court.

At a General Term of the Supreme Court of the City of New-York, held in the City Hall, in the City of New-York, on Saturday, the 29th day of October, A. D., 1864.

Present—All the Judges.

It is ordered:

Rule 10. No case or exceptions to be annexed to the Judgment Roll will hereafter be filed by the Clerk of the Court, unless the same is so ordered by the Justice who tried the case.

Rule 11. Cases of exceptions presented for settlement shall have plainly marked upon the proposed case or exceptions, and also upon the stenographer's minutes of the evidence, the parts to which the proposed amendments are applicable, together with the number of the amendment.

Rule 13. It shall be the duty of the attorney by whom the copy pleadings shall be furnished for the use of the court on a trial plainly to designate on each pleading the part or parts thereof admitted or controverted by the succeeding pleading.

MONETARY AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—Nov. 4, 1864.

$5,000	U. S. 6s, '68...R.	118⅛	200	Hud. Riv. R.	121⅜
1,000	U. S. 6s, '68...C.	119¾	50	do.	121
2,000	U. S. 6s, '81. ..C.	106⅜	200	Reading R.	134
11,000	U. S. 6s, 5-20s...C.	100¾	200	do.	s30 133⅜
15,000	do.	100⅞	100	do.	s30 133⅜
30,000	do.	101	100	do.	134⅛
6,000	do. Indorsed	100	100	Mis. & Mo. R.	35⅛
9,000	do...new Iss.	100⅞	100	do.	35¾
1,500	U. S. 10-40s...C.	96½	200	do.	35
1,500	do.	95	100	M. & P. Du C. R.	52⅜
1,000	do.	94⅜	100	M. S. & N. I.	72½
4,000	U. S. 6s, 1 yr. C..	95¼	400	do.	72⅝
4,000	Ohio 6s, '81 Iss...	106	200	do.	s30 72⅝
1,000	Conn. State 6s.	100	200	do.	b5 72⅝
20,000	O. & M. Cer.	b30 39⅛	300	do.	72⅜
10,000	do.	b10 39	200	do.	s10 72⅜
1,000	Erie 1st M. Bs.	106	200	do.	72⅞
2,000	Ill. Cen. R. Bs.	120	600	do.	73
30,000	C. & N. W. 1st M.	98	300	do.	b30 74
1,000	Lac. & W. 1sts..	110	100	do.	b30 73¾
9,000	Cl. & To. S. F. B.	106	100	do.	s10 73
1,000	P., Ft. W. & C. 1st.	115⅜	200	Ill. Cen. R.	126
5,000	P., Ft. W. & C. 2d.	104	100	do.	s30 125⅜
20,000	Am. Gold.	233	700	Cleve. & Pitts.	104½
25	National Bank.	104	200	Chi. & N. W.	43¾
60	Del. & Hud. C. Co.	202	300	do.	43⅞
100	Cum. Coal Pr.	82	300	do.	44
500	do.	81¾	100	do.	44⅛
300	Quick. Min. Co.	82⅜	1000	Chi. & N. W. Pref.	81
200	do.	b30 83	1000	Chi. & R. I. R.	100
100	do.	82	100	do.	b30 100⅛
100	Mar. Mining Co.	36	200	do.	s10 100
50	Pac. M. S. C.	305	100	do.	s30 100
50	N. Y. Cen.	122	100	do.	b30 101
2000	Erie Railway.	100⅜	700	P., Ft. W. & C.	103
100	do.	b30 100⅜	400	do.	103¼
300	do.	s30 100	200	do.	s30 103⅜
200	do.	s10 100	200	do.	b3 104
1200	do.	100	300	do.	103⅝
300	do.	s10 99⅜	500	do.	103⅜
20	C., B. & Q. R.	118⅜			

SECOND BOARD.

$20,000	U. S. 6s, 5-20s. C. New Issue	100⅜	100	Reading R.	134⅛
10,000	U. S. 6s, '81...C.	106⅜	400	do.	134⅜
20,000	U. S. 6s, 1 Yr...C.	95	200	M. S. & N. I. R.	73
30,000	O. & M. Cer.	39⅛	700	do.	73⅛
300	Canton Co.	84	400	do.	73⅜
200	Cum. Coal Pref.	82⅛	200	Ill. Cen. R.	127
200	Quick. Min. Co.	82	600	Clev. & Pitts.	105
200	Mar. Min. Co.	36	150	Chic. & N. W. R.	44⅛
300	do.	35⅝	100	Chi. & N. W. Pr.	81⅜
100	do.	35⅝	50	Ch. & R. I. R.	100
500	Erie Railway.	100⅛	100	do.	b10 100⅜
800	do.	35⅜	100	do.	s5 100⅜
500	Erie Railway.	100⅛	100	M. & P. Du Ch.	52⅜
500	do.	100⅜	700	Pitts. Ft. W. & C.	104
100	do.	100⅜	200	do.	103⅝
100	Erie R. Pref.	104	100	do.	s10 103⅜
100	Hud. Riv. R.	121⅜	500	do.	103⅜
100	do.	121¾	100	do.	103¾

OPEN BOARD—1½ P. M.

$25,000	O. & Mis. Cer.	39	300	M. S. & N. I.	72⅜
11,000	do. b3	39	600	do. b3	72⅝
1400	Erie R.	99⅜	2300	do. b3	72⅜
200	do. s3	99⅞	500	do.	72⅝
200	do. c	99⅞	500	do. c	72⅜
300	do. b3	99⅝	500	do. s3	72⅜
300	do. c	99⅜	100	do. c	72⅜
500	do.	99⅜	200	do. c	72⅜
900	do. b3	99⅝	500	do. s3	72⅜
400	do. c	99⅛	2.0	do. s10	72⅛
500	do. b3	99⅜	200	Chic. & N. W. R.	43⅜
100	do. b5	99⅝	200	do. s3	43⅜
100	do. s3	99⅜	200	Chi. & N. W. Pr.	80⅝
100	Hudson R. R. b3	121	100	do. s3	80⅜
200	do.	120¼	100	do.	80¾
100	do. b3	120⅜	300	Cum. Coal.	82
100	do. b3	121	100	do. c	82
100	do.	121⅛	200	Quick. Min.	82
200	do. s3	121⅛	500	Mariposa Min. c	35⅜
100	do. s3	121¼	900	do.	35¾
200	do. s10	121⅜	200	do.	36
1000	Reading R. s3	134	200	do. c	35
1400	do.	134	200	do.	35⅜
2000	do. b30	134	100	do. b10	35⅞
200	Clev. & Tol.	113			

OPEN BOARD—3½ P. M.

$10,000	O. & M. Cer. b10	40	100	Ill. Cen. R.	128
1400	N. Y. Cen. R.	127	300	Clev. & Pitts.	105⅜
200	Erie R.	100⅝	100	Chi. & R. I. R.	100⅜
800	do.	100⅝	200	P., Ft. W. & C.	103⅝
500	do. s3	100⅝	200	do. s3	103⅝
200	do.	100⅜	200	do.	104
200	Hud. Riv. R.	122	100	Chi. & N. W. Pr.	81⅛
200	Reading R. s3	134⅛	200	Quick. M. Co.	83
300	Mich. So. & N. I.	73⅜	100	do.	82⅞
500	do.	74	100	do.	83¼
300	do.	73⅞	200	Mariposa M. Co.	36
200	do. s3	73⅞	100	do.	36⅛

FRIDAY, NOV. 4—P. M.

The Commerce of the port of New-York for the past Fiscal Year of the United States, ending 30th June, 1864, which will be embraced in the forthcoming annual report of the Treasury Department at Washington, shows the following results as compared with the previous Fiscal Years. There has been more than the usual delay at the Custom-house in making up the official returns of the last months of the Fiscal Year, which will account for the late period for completing our tables.

The Import Entries of Foreign Goods at New-York for the months of May and June, 1864, were:

	May.	June.
Compsumption direct	$7,531,300	$5,613,985
Warehoused	14,727,176	16,906,961
Free goods	1,056,576	1,358,634
Total	$23,315,052	$23,779,583
Last year	14,127,706	12,487,429

There was also entered during two the months Foreign Specie of the value, in May, of $660,092, and of the value in June of $146,731. The value of goods of the previous importation withdrawn from Bonded Warehouse during the two months was, in May, only $659,869, and in June, $2,544,914, together $3,204,783, or less by $28,429,357; han went into bond, for a better market, during the two months.

The Export clearances from New-York during the months of May and June, 1864, were as follows:

	May.	June.
Domestic Produce	$14,610,493	$17,996,495
Foreign reëxported	610,786	1,357,927
Gold and Silver	6,460,930	6,533,109
Totals	$21,682,209	$25,887,531

Last year the same months showed the following Exports:

	May, '63.	June, '63.
Domestic Produce	$13,163,510	$14,780,072
Foreign reëxported	703,591	347,447
Gold and Silver	2,115,679	1,367,774
Totals	$16,002,780	$16,495,293

The following is a summary by months of the Import, Export and Specie movements at and from the Port of New-York for the Fiscal Year beginning 1st of July, 1863, and ending 30th of June, 1864:

IMPORT OF FOREIGN GOODS AT NEW-YORK.

	1863-4. From July 1.	vs.	1862-3. From July 1.
July	$15,821,000		$20,134,000
August	14,924,000		14,212,000
September	15,422,000		18,027,000
October	16,817,000		13 157,000
November	15,943,000		10,200,000
December	17,010,000		12,994,000
January	18,836,000		15,638,000
February	21,556,000		11,815,000
March	23,667,000		18 807 000
April	25,883,000		17,278,000
May	23,315,000		14,128,000
June	23,780,000		12,487,000
Total Fiscal Year	$232,974,000		$178,877,000
Foreign Specie	$2,099,000		$1,731,000

EXPORT OF DOMESTIC PRODUCE FROM NEW-YORK.

	1863-64 From July 1.	vs.	1862-63. From July 1.
July	$15,298,000		$14,050,000
August	10,667,000		13,046,000
September	11,718,000		14,735,000
October	14,513,000		19,477,000
November	11,414,000		14,239,000
December	12,846,000		14,805,000
January	11,444,000		14,329,000
February	13,862,000		17,781,000
March	14,410,000		16,138,000
April	13,264,000		11,582,000
May	14,610,000		13,184,000
June	17,996,000		14,780,000
Total fiscal year	$161,842,000		$178,236,000
Foreign reëxportd	7,083,000		8,755,000

EXPORT OF SPECIE FROM NEW-YORK.

	1863-64 From July 1.	vs.	1862-63. From July 1.
July	$5,269,000		$8,067,000
August	3,465,000		3,714,000
September	3,480,000		3,086,000
October	6,210,000		6,708,000
November	5,438,000		6,213,000
December	5,259,000		3,673,000
January	5,459,000		4,625,000
February	3,015,000		3,966,000
March	1,801,000		6,585,000
April	5,883,000		1,973,000
May	6,461,000		2,116,000
June	6,533,000		1,368,000
Total fiscal year	$58,273,000		$52,094,000

EXPORTS RECAPITULATED—FISCAL YEAR.

	1863-64 From July 1.	vs.	1862-63. From July 1.
Domestic Produce	$161,842,000		$178,236,000
Foreign reëxported	7,083,000		8,755,000
Gold and Silver	58 273,000		52,094,000
Total	$227,198,000		$239,085,000

CUSTOMS RECEIPTS AT NEW-YORK.

	1863-64 From July. 1.	vs.	1862-63. From July. 1.
July	$ 4,912,718		$7,211,817
August	6,296,735		4,762,581
September	7,270,543		5,239,045
October	6,238,843		4,309,419
November	5,075,846		3,003,270
December	5,248,189		2,664,593
January	6,180,536		4,127,607
February	7,474,228		3,590,714
March	6,659,771		4,554,461
April	13,982 556		3,857,198
May	3,885,187		3,873,866
June	3,311,148		3,738,934
Total fiscal year	$77,506,201		$51,033,806

DELIVERIES OF CALIFORNIA GOLD AT NEW-YORK.

1863-64. From July 1.		1862-63. From July 1.	
July 5	$251,947	July 7	$641,455
July 16	194,400	July 15	441.179
July 26	279,000	July 27	878,434
Aug. 5	284,915	Aug. 4	964,422
Aug. 13	313,464	Aug. 20	21,165
Aug. 26	223,000	Aug. 24	1,084,611
Sept. 6	279,043	Sept. 3	819,718
Sept. 14	193,584	Sept. 16	934,415
Sept. 26	277,651	Sept. 25	887,779
Oct. 6	268,282	Oct. 3	754,840
Oct. 15	267,911	Oct. 13	807,626
Oct. 26	296,705	Oct. 24	754,795
Nov. 4	251,133	Nov. 2	1,001,617
Nov. 16	231,910	Nov. 13	706,780
Nov. 26	229,978	Nov. 24	942,814
Dec. 11	302,000	Dec. 7	735,666
Dec. 17	299,899	Dec. 15	699,962
Dec. 29	254,239	Jan. 3	1,277,788
Jan. 6	241,728	Jan. 19	657,840
Jan. 18	365,608	Jan. 25	401,452
Jan. 29	324,863	Feb. 2	306,500
Feb. 6	365,538	Feb. 13	366,035
Feb. 19	452,975	Feb. 27	285,344
Feb. 28	407,057	March 7	1,283,551
March 6	512,358	March 18	249,214
March 15	335,550	April 4	260,727
March 27	273.429	April 14	217,601
April 6	302.343	April 25	256,684
April 14	269,000	May 6	205,057
April 28	281,875	May 16	306,183
May 5	274,812	May 24	264,821
May 16	383,428	June 5	318,066
May 27	275,529	June 14	304,027
June 5	250,346	June 26	187,005
June 14	204,190	Total 12 mos.	$20,125,877
June 26	270.015		
Total 12 mos.	$10,491,105		

The Gold Room fluctuated through the forenoon 224@232@236 ℔ cent., the cash sales being ⅛@¼ ℔ cent. lower than buyer 3 days, on account of the immediate abundance of Gold for delivery. The Sub-Treasury, for two or three days past, has been paying out large sums for Gold interest on the 5-20 Loan, a good part of which comes on the market, and the remainder goes to Europe to the holders of this Loan for whose account the November coupons are now being collected from the Treasury. The export by the steamer *City of Cork* to-day amounts to $505,000, and further shipments will be made by the Bremen and Liverpool steamers to-morrow. These exports, however, make very little impression on the easy supply of Gold in the open market.

The demand for Money from the Bankers, to-day, is on a fair scale. There is more difficulty in carrying Gold on speculation than the Railway Stocks, on account of the large disbursements of Gold from the Treasury Office since the 1st inst., and the efforts in the Gold Room to sustain the present high figures. The rate for money to the Stock Brokers is quite uniform at 7 ℔ cent. ℔ annum. Mercantile paper, of which there is no large amount offering outside of Bank, is quoted at 8@10 ℔ cent.

At the Stock Exchange this morning the Railway speculation was dull, though not much lower in prices than at the close on Thursday. A moderate amount of business was done. The Government list was steady, except for Treasury Certificates, which declined to 94⅛@95 per cent. At the Second Board in the afternoon there was quite a changed feeling manifested in the bidding for the Railways, and the buoyancy in the Board was so marked as to be ascribed, in fact, to the inauguration of one of its new members. The prices generally higher than in the forenoon, by ¼@1 per cent.

At 4 o'clock the following quotations were made as compared with the same hour yesterday. The Gold Room quoted 237½ ℔ cent. The market for the Railways was generally firm at the Open Board. There was a sudden large advance in New-York Central to 127 ℔ cent.

	Thurs.	Frid.		Thurs.	Frid.
U. S. 6s, 1881	106⅝	106⅝	Mich. Southern	72⅜	73⅛
U. S. 5-20's	100⅝	100⅝	Illinois Cen.	125⅞	128⅛
N. Y. Central	123	127	Pittsburgh	104⅜	105¼
Erie	100⅜	100⅝	Fort Wayne	104	104
Erie Preferred	103	103	Rock Island	100¼	100⅜
Hudson	121⅜	122	Reading	134⅜	134⅜
Canton	34⅜	34⅜	Quicksilver	83¼	83
Treas. Cer., new	95½	95	Cum'land Coal	52⅜	52⅜
Northwest	44	44⅜	Mariposa	36¼	36⅜
Ohio & M. Certfs	38⅛	39⅛	N. West Pref.	80⅜	81⅛

The City Bank Shares were dull to-day. The following bids were made:

Merchants	112	Hanover	101
State of New-York	112	Metropolitan	112
Commerce	103	Corn Exchange	102
American Exchange	117	Import. & Traders'	103
Bank of the Repub.	100		

And the following bids for the Railway Mortgages:

N. Y. Cen. 6s	108	Chi. & N. W. Int. B.	97
N. Y. Cen. 7s, '76	117	Chi. & N. W. 1sts	97
N. Y. Cen. 7s, con. '76	122	Del. L. & W. 2ds	115
Erie 1sts, '68	105¼	Tol. & Wab. ext.	99
Erie 3ds, '83	115	Tol. & Wab. 1sts	99¾
Erie 4ths, '80	112	Mil. & P. du Ch.	109
Erie 5ths, '78	110	Gal. & Chi. ext.	109
Hudson R. 2ds S. F.	117	Chic. & Tol. S. F.	106
Mich. Cen., '69 and '73	120	Pitts., F. W. & C. 1sts	115
Mich. new, '83	124	Pitts., F. W. & C. 2ds	104
Chi., B. & Quincy	120	Clev. & Pitts 3ds	100
Mich. S. & N. Ind. S. F.	107	Miss. & Mo. L. G.	65
Illinois Cen. '76	118	Chi. & Alt. 1sts	106
Alt. & T. H. 1sts	100	Ohio & Miss	92
Alt. & T. H. 2ds. Pref.	89	At. & G. W.	96
Chi. & N. W. S. F.	107		

MR. JOHN COVILLE, son of Mr. ALFRED COVILLE, (and a member of the New-York Stock Exchange,) was yesterday admitted to membership at the Board of Brokers.

We understand that the Chicago and North-Western Road is being operated at the rate of about 60 per cent. on the gross traffic, and that reckoning this traffic at $6,500,000 for the current fiscal year, ending 31st May, 1865, the net earnings will be equal to 7 per cent. on the entire cost, in bonds and capital, including the common stock, of the consolidated line, with a surplus of $465,000 for contingencies. We are not apprised, however, that any period has yet been settled upon by the management for commencing regular dividends on the common stock. The income of 7 per cent. on the preferred stock would appear to be placed beyond question.

The daily business at the Petroleum Stock Board, opened on 1st inst., is gradually increasing. Fourteen different corporations in the Pennsylvania Oil region have been admitted to dealings.

The Teller of the Mercantile Bank, CHARLES WINDSOR, is supposed to have sailed on Saturday last for Europe or the West Indies. There is a rumor that the bulk of the money, $241,000, was taken out of the vault the night before, but antecedent circumstances lead to the belief that the defalcation had been going on for some time, until further concealment became impracticable. WINDSOR, however, is said to have had the free use of the keys of the vault on Friday afternoon, and may have helped himself to a large additional amount in Gold or Currency, with the purpose of absconding the next morning. The following was the condition of the Mercantile Bank on its last quarterly report to the Bank Department at Albany, Sept. 24, 1864:

Loans, including U. S.	$3,511,450
Specie	312,600
Legal-Tender	305,172
Real Estate	100.000
Miscellaneous	109,007
Total	$4,337,929
Capital	$1,000,000
Surplus	335,818
Deposits, net	2,995,940
Miscellaneous	6,171—$4,337,929

The day's business at the office of the Assistant Treasurer of the United States, was as follows? Total receipts, $2,083,196 46; for customs, $134,000; Payments, $1,099,653 17; on account Loan, $996,000; Balance, $31,386,659 79.

BANKING AND FINANCIAL.

☞ THE FOURTH NATIONAL BANK, NEW-YORK DEPOSITORY AND FINANCIAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES Nos. 27 and 29 Pine-st.,

Receives subscriptions to the new 7 3-10 Treasury Notes, which are convertible at maturity into *Six Per Cent. Gold-bearing 5-20 Bonds.*

Commission of ¼ per cent. in all cases allowed and liberal terms to Banks who buy to sell again. Receives subscriptions to the 10-40 Bonds. Converts the old 3-10 Notes into 6 per cent. 1881 Bonds. Collects Warrants and Drafts on the Treasury, and transacts all other business connected with Government.

MORRIS KETCHUM, *President.*

D. W. VANDERAS, *Cashier.*

HOWES & MACY,

(Late Officers of the Park Bank,)

BANKERS,

30 WALL STREET,

In Rooms lately occupied by J. J. Cisco, Esq., U. S. Asfiftant Treasurer.

FOUR PER CENT. INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS; which may be drawn without previous notice, as with the City Banks.

Orders for the purchafe or sale of UNITED STATES AND OTHER BONDS, CERTIFICATES OF INDEBTEDNESS, GOLD, SILVER, and all kinds of STOCKS, executed for the ufual commiffion.

PARTICULAR attention paid to the collection of Notes, Checks, Bills of Exchange, &c., &c., on all acceffible points of the United States and Canada. Checks for the proceeds will be sent to the owner's place of bufineſs without delay.

GENERAL MARKETS.

NEW-YORK, Friday, Nov. 4—6 P. M.

ASHES—Are scarce and quiet to-day, at $11 50@$11 75 for Pots, and $12 75@$13 for Pearls, ℔ 100 lbs.

COFFEE—Continues quiet, including Java at 47c. @49c.; Laguayra and Maracaibo at 39c.@42c.; Rio at 38c.@43c.; St. Domingo at 37c.@38c. ℔ lb.

COTTON—Has been in limited request at drooping prices; Middling, $1 21@$1 26 ℔ lb. Sales and resales since our last, 470 bales.

FLOUR AND MEAL—State and Western Flour was quiet, to-day, at a reduction of 10c.@15c. ℔ bbl. Sales since our last amount to 9,200 bbls., including very inferior to choice Superfine State and Western at $9 45@$9 75; poor to choice Extra State at $10@$10 50, chiefly $10 20@$10 25; round-hoop Extra Ohio, inferior to very good shipping brands, at $10 85@$11 15 ℔ bbl.

Superfine State and Western	$9 45	@$9 75
Extra State	10 00	@10 50
Extra Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, &c.	10 00	@13 00
Extra Ohio round-hoop, shp'g brands	10 85	@11 15
Extra Ohio, trade and family brands	11 20	@13 25
Extra Genesee	10 55	@13 25
Poor to choice Extra Missouri	10 50	@15 50

Southern Flour is dull and heavy, to-day; sales since our last 800 bbls., at $10 80@$11 90 for poor to good, and $12@$15 for good to choice extra brands, and $15@$16 for Phœnix Mills, ℔ bbl. Canadian Flour is cheaper; sales 400 bbls. Extra at $10 05@$12 50 ℔ bbl. Rye Flour continues in limited demand, including fine and superfine, at $8 25@$9 50 ℔ bbl.; sales 100 bbls. Corn Meal is inactive and nominal.

GRAIN—Wheat has been very quiet and quoted down nominally 2c.@3c. ℔ bushel. Sales 8,500 bushels, including Amber Western (nominally) at $2 40@$2 43; Red Western at $2 30@$2 37½; Amber Iowa, Wisconsin and Green Bay at $2 23; Milwaukee Club at $2 20; Chicago Spring at $2 15@$2 20; Red State at $2 40. Corn is in moderate demand at drooping prices; sales since our last, 35,000 bushels, at $1 65@$1 66½ for Mixed Western, ℔ bushel. Oats are in less demand and heavy. We quote Canada at 88c.@89½c.; Western at 90c.@91c.; State at 89c.@90c., cash, ℔ bushel. Sales were also made of 18,200 bushels Barley at $1 94 for Canada West, and $1 90 for State. Ryeis dull and heavy at $1 50 ℔ bushel. The movements in Breadstuffs in Milwaukee, week ending with November 1, Messrs. JONES & Co., review thus: "FLOUR—The market during the past week has been very quiet. The supply though moderate has been fully equal to the demand, but owing to the upward movement in Gold prices have decidedly improved. Receipts for week, 5,982 barrels, against 16,344 barrels same time last ear. The clearances of Flour since the opening of navigation are 346,327 bbls., against 456 394 bbls. same time last year. Freights to New-York, by propeller and rail, $1 50 ℔ bbl.; to Buffalo, by propeller, 50c.; to Portland, by Grand Trunk Propeller Line, $1 60. *Wheat*—There has been a great advance in prices during the past week, caused chiefly by the very material improvement in gold, though the small stock has of itself induced considerable speculation. The season for shipping wheat through to tide-water is drawing to a close. It probably would be safe to ship for a day or two more by sail, and all the week by propeller. To Buffalo and Oswego shipments will be made for nearly a month longer. Receipts for the week 126 845 bushels, against 390,088 bushels same time last year. The receipts since 1st Januury aggregate 8 209,388 bushels, against 11,023,896 bush. same time last year. The shipments for the week sum up 139,388 bushels, and since the opening of navigation 8,365.948 bushels, against 11,561,358 bushels same time last year. The market closes this afternoon with sellers at $1 97 for No. 1 Milwaukee Spring Wheat in store (the article which is sold and quoted in New-York as 'Amber Milwaukee' and 'Amber Iowa.') No. 2 do. offering at $1 88@$1 90."

HAY—North River is in request and steady, at $1 25@$1 35 for Government and shipping, and $1 40@$1 55 for small lots for city use, ℔ 100 lbs.

HOPS—Are in moderate demand, at 15c.@35c. for inferior to choice one year old, and 35c.@52½c. for new ℔ lb.

HIDES—Have been in limited request and somewhat unsettled in price. Stock, 540,500 hides and 1,130 bales do. Prime Buenos are quoted at 32c.@33c.; Rio Grande at 30c.@31c.; Orinoco at 29c.@30c., and California at 29c.@31c., ℔ lb.; usual terms.

LATHS—Eastern are in pretty fair supply, and quiet at $2 25 ℔ thousand.

LEATHER—Is in fair demand and held with much firmness. We quote: Hemlock Sole, Buenos Ayres Middle, 36c.@38c.; Buenos Ayres Heavy, 36c.@38c; Buenos Ayres Light, 34c.@35c.; Orinoco Middle, 34c.@36c.; Orinoco Heavy, 34c.@35c.; Orinoco Light, 33c.@34c.; Oak Slaughter, Sole, 45c.@50c.; Oak Rough, 44c.@46c; Oak Crop, 47c.@52c.; Hemlock Upper, Rough, 35c.@37c., cash, ℔ lb.

MOLASSES—Is in moderate request, including New-Orleans at $1 05@$1 25; Porto Rico, 87½c.@$1 10; Cuba Muscovado, 72½c.@90c. ℔ gallon.

NAVAL STORES—Continue quiet, including Resin (nominally) at $25@$37 ℔ 280 lbs.; Tar, at $13@$16 ℔ bbl.; Spirits Turpentine at $2 15@$2 30 ℔ gallon.

OILS—Are in moderate demand and rather buoyant, including Crude Whale at $1 35@$1 40; Crude Sperm at $2@$2 10; Bleached Winter Whale at $1 60; Unbleached Sperm at $2 30@$2 35; Linseed at $1 35 No. 1 Lard at

The New-York Times.

NEW-YORK, SATURDAY, NOV 5, 1864.

Amusements this Evening.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC—Lucrezia Borgia.

BARNUM'S MUSEUM—Natural Curiosities—Phenomena, &c. Afternoon: Paul's Return. Evening: Elvira; or, The Rose of Castile.

BROADWAY THEATRE—The Victims—The People's Lawyer.

NIBLO'S—Fanchon the Cricket.

WINTER GARDEN—All That Glitters is Not Gold.

OLYMPIC THEATRE—The Middy Ashore—The Rose of Castile.

WALLACK'S—Americans in Paris.

THEATRE FRANCAIS, (Niblo's Saloon)—Every Tuesday and Saturday Evening—Nos Alliees.

CHELLER'S—(No. 585 Broadway)—Magic.

HIPPOTHEATRON—Equestrianism, Gymnastics and Acrobatic Performances.

DODWORTH HALL—Artemus Ward.

HOPE CHAPEL—Mysterious Media—Glass-Blowers.

ART GALLERY (corner Broadway and Eighth-street)—Carpenter's Painting of the Emancipation Proclamation.

FRAUDS ON THE VOTE.

Reward Offered by the State Committee.

NEW-YORK STATE UNION COMMITTEE,
ASTOR HOUSE, Nov. 4, 1864.

I am authorized to offer, on behalf of the above committee, a reward of one thousand dollars for the first arrest, followed by conviction, of a person offering a fraudulent soldier's vote.

HAMILTON HARRIS,
Chairman Executive Committee.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

THE REBELLION.

Intelligence was received yesterday of further depredations upon our commerce by two new rebel pirates, one of which, named the *Chickamauga*, and commanded by Lieut. Wilkinson, of the rebel navy, is believed to have run out of Wilmington on the night of Oct. 27. The other is called the *Olustee*, is commanded by a Lieut. Ward, and escaped from Wilmington on the night of the 30th ult. The *Chickamauga* destroyed three vessels and bonded a fourth; the *Olustee* also burned three. Their crews were all sent into this port, and the scene of their depredations is chiefly on the track of vessels bound down the coast. Neither of the pirates are formidably manned, carrying only three guns each. A number of gunboats have already left in quest of them.

The trial of Col. North and his associates, before the court-martial at Washington, was proceeded with yesterday. Several witnesses were examined, when the court adjourned over until Monday, in order to allow time for the defence to summon certain witnesses whose testimony they deemed necessary.

GENERAL NEWS.

The Stock Market was dull in the early part of yesterday, but improved in the afternoon, and left off steady. The Gold Room fluctuated between 232@236 ₱ cent. The market for Money fairly active at 7 ₱ cent.

Transactions in produce and merchandise were rather limited yesterday. Prices of the leading kinds of breadstuffs and provisions were lower; and of cotton, whisky, tallow and petroleum tending in favor of buyers. The freight market was very quiet.

Another rebel pirate, the *Chickamauga*, is at work, having come out of Wilmington Oct. 27 The Captains of the ship *Shooting Star*, and barks *W. L. Potter* and *E. L. Hall*, reached this port yesterday. The ship was captured and burned by the *Chickamauga* Oct. 30, and the barks Oct. 31.

In consequence of the appropriation being exhausted, the pay of the engineers in charge of the city steam fire engines has been stopped. Considerable feeling exists because of this, but it is probable that some satisfactory arrangement will be made by the authorities.

The Board of Supervisors met yesterday, completed the appointment of inspectors and canvassers of election, and adjourned to noon on Monday, when any vacancies that may occur in the meantime, of election officers, will be filled.

A "memorial" to the late Archbishop Hughes, being the resolutions passed by the Common Council relative to the decease of this distinguished prelate, magnificently engrossed and framed, was exhibited in the Governor's Rooms yesterday. It elicited the admiration of successive crowds of visitors, who inspected it with minutest care, and each derived pleasure from the inspection. This elegant testimonial is to be placed in the archives of the Diocese. The penmanship, which includes a faithful likeness of the late Archbishop, was executed by Mr. B. F. Bray. The whole testimonial will cost about $2,800.

Monday evening next there will be a grand Union mass meeting and torchlight procession at Elizabethport, N. J. Delegations from adjoining towns, accompanied with music and torches, will also be present. Union speakers from Kentucky and North Carolina are to address the people on the occasion. The Democrats are invited to attend and hear Union arguments from a Southern standpoint.

There will be a Union meeting at Bridgeport, Conn., on Monday evening, November 7. Maj. James Haggerty, Col. S. L. Woodford and J. Van Ness Lyle, Esq., of this city, will address the meeting.

The Union delegates of the First Congressional District met at Jamaica yesterday, and renominated Hon. Henry G. Stebbins by acclamation for the short term.

The postal money-order system, which has just gone into operation, is received with favor in this city. A large number of applications for orders are daily made at the Post-office. Orders drawn for soldiers in the Army of the Potomac will be paid at the office at Old Point Comfort, on the soldier's assignment, and may be collected by sutlers or other persons authorized to do so.

The Commissioners of the Park announce that the musical entertainments have closed for the season. There will, therefore, be no music this afternoon.

One of the largest and most enthusiastic German meetings ever held in this city, took place last night at the Cooper Institute. The hall was crowded to excess by an audience of German Unionists. Gen. Carl Schurtz delivered the main address, which was a glowing and eloquent review of the Union cause, and the necessity for every liberty-loving German to labor and vote for the Union candidates. His remarks were greeted with much applause throughout. He was followed, in an able speech, by Dr. Frederick Shultz, of New-York.

The body of the rebel Gen. Ramseur, has been sent to City Point to be delivered over to the rebel authorities.

It is estimated that upward of fifteen thousand officers and soldiers have gone from the army to their homes in the States to exercise their elective franchise at the coming election.

A letter, just received in Boston, from a member of the One Hundred and Thirty-seventh New-York Regiment, now with the Twentieth Army Corps, at Atlanta, Ga., says that "nine-tenths of this army have voted for Lincoln and Johnson. McClellan stood no sight whatever."

The St. Alban's *Mesenger* learns that another one of the bank thieves was arrested at Waterloo, C. E., on Monday. He was just getting into a wagon at a livery stable, when seeing an officer approaching he made for the barn, threatening to shoot any one coming near him. The officer, undaunted, made for him, the rascal making good his words, by shooting the officer through the shoulder, though not dangerously. The ostler seeing how matters stood, picked up a brick and knocked down the "Confederate gentleman," who was then immediately secured. Two thousand dollars in bills on the Franklin County Bank were found in his possession.

The business men of the city held a mass meeting in Wall-street yesterday, for the purpose of expressing their views in favor of the reelection of Abraham Lincoln. In number and in character the meeting was one of the most important that has taken place during the campaign. It was held under the auspices of the Lincoln and Johnson Central Campaign Club, of which Hon. Charles S. Spencer is President.

A grand parade of all the Union Clubs of this city came off last night. Thousands of Union men took part in the procession, and the city was illuminated by the lanterns and torches of the War Eagles. It terminated with a splendid display of fireworks and a mass meeting at Union-square.

The Sunday night services in Trinity Chapel, for the Winter season, begin to-morrow, the 6th instant, and will be continued until the 1st of May next. On the first six nights, the Rector of the parish, the Rev. Dr. Dix, will deliver, by request, the course of lectures on the Book of Job, preached by him at St. Paul's during the Lent of 1862. At these services all the seats are free. The service commences at 7½ o'clock.

By the arrival at this port, yesterday, of the steamship *Costa Rica*, we have advices from Panama to the 25th ult. The Chilian Government has issued a declaration of neutrality, which prohibits the exportation of any article internationally recognized as contraband of war. There is no change in the Hispano-Peruvian question. Much dissatisfaction exists among the people on account of the indecision of the Government in regard to the seizure of the Chinchas. A Peruvian steamer has explored the Amazon, and demonstrated the fact that this grand highway is navigable to within about two hundred miles of the Pacific coast. A direct route is thus opened between the eastern coast and the Republic of Peru. Gen. Juan Jose Flores, Commander-in-Chief of the Ecuadorian forces, died on the 1st ult., near Guayaquil. Matters in Panama are very quiet.

The End of the Canvass — Its Issues Clearly Made Up.

The Presidential canvass is now substantially closed. Probably every voter who thinks at all, has made up his mind what electoral ballot to cast.

The nine weeks of public discussion concerning the platforms and the candidates, though a much briefer period than is usually devoted to the purpose, have set forth the issues in the clearest light. Perhaps we have never had a Presidential election in which there was less misunderstanding of the questions to be passed upon. The causes of this are obvious enough. No previous election has ever involved issues of such transcendent practical moment; and the knowledge of this naturally stimulated the public mind, from the beginning, to the keenest attention. Then, again, the national conventions of the two parties set forth their respective principles with unusual directness. The Baltimore Convention indeed might not have uttered a word, and yet its bare renomination of President Lincoln would have sufficed to declare its policy unmistakably. It would be hard to give language a more distinct and explicit shape than that of the Baltimore platform, and yet the policy of the party finds a far clearer exponent yet in its nominee, whose official career has made him a living epistle, known and read of all men.

The Chicago Convention was assembled under auspices which peculiarly favored plainness of deliverance. The party considered it settled that the campaigns of the Summer would prove failures. It therefore did not hesitate to resign the control of the convention to its outspoken peace men. Vallandigham framed all the important parts of the platform, and in the boldest shape. It was promptly adopted by the convention without an objection from any quarter. Vallandigham completed his business by moving that, with unanimous consent, George B. McClellan should be the Presidential nominee of the party: and it was so agreed. The platform and the candidate were accepted by the entire party, in all the States, as meaning nothing else than a recognition that the war was a failure, and a formal inauguration of a peace policy. Up to the fall of Atlanta, not a speaker or newspaper of the party pretended anything else. That heavy blow to the rebellion, followed as it was by an outburst of loyal enthusiasm throughout the North, soon brought home to the more calculating managers of the party the necessity of more reserve and equivocation; and McClellan, although the platform had been submitted to him before adoption, and had received his full approval, was made to give his letter of acceptance an ambiguous cast, adapted to confuse the square issue made by the platform. The attempt was not successful. Notwithstanding all the glittering generalities for the Union, his new identification with the Peace party was still apparent, both in what he did say and in what he did not say. In what he did say, for his words were, that "to restore the Union, the spirit of *conciliation* and *compromise* must prevail in our councils and in the hearts of the people," when, by a moral necessity, that spirit is incompatible with any effectual war policy. In what he did not say, for there was not a syllable in the letter bearing directly or indirectly against "a cessation of hostilities," in the way of an armistice; and there is no peace man who would not be satisfied with an armistice, for all know that the war, once suspended, would never be resumed. Moreover, the whole conduct of the party since—its constant complaints of the heavy taxes of the war, when it is certain that no war of this magnitude can be conducted without heavy taxes; its regular habit of belittleing the successes of our armies and magnifying their reverses; its uniform abstinence from all severity of language against the rebels; its ill-concealed satisfaction on hearing anything auguring ill for the speedy suppression of the rebellion—these and a thousand other manifestations have made the anti-war spirit of the party perfectly patent to everybody, so that, in spite of all the equivocations of speech during the canvass, the essential policy of the opposition stands out even more boldly before the public eye now than when first exhibited in the Chicago platform.

Loyal men can congratulate themselves not only upon this clearness of issue between war and peace, but upon the development of the fact that this issue is indeed no other than Union or Disunion. The comments of the public men and public presses of the South upon the Chicago platform have put it beyond all doubt that the rebels, at this stage of the war, will take no peace except on the basis of Confederate independence. Even the public men of the South who are the least violent, like A. H. Stephens and Herschel V. Johnson, have said that they would only countenance such a reconstruction as would secure the sovereign rights of the States, including the right of secession at discretion; and this, of course, is nothing but a disunion principle. The rebel leaders and newspaper organs have not concealed their anxiety for the election of McClellan, but yet have practiced no deceit by pretending that McClellan's election would contribute to the restoration of the old Union. Had they chosen to dissimulate, professing a readiness to take up with the Constitution as it is and the Union as it was, they might have supplied the Northern supporters of McClellan with very available electioneering capital. We give them credit for abstaining from all such hypocrisy. They have universally admitted that peace by negotiation involves separation, or at the very least, the establishment of the right to separate—confirming to the letter every averment of the Union party on that point. These Southern developments, during the two months, have thus contributed greatly to give sharpness and exactitude to the issue now to be decided.

The Union party desires nothing more. It is completely ready for the decision of the people. It has no fear of the result. In spite of the diabolical robbery of the votes of the freemen who have gone to fight the rebellion, it has an absolute confidence of an overwhelming majority for the suppression of the rebellion by force, and the salvation of the nation. Like Ajax, it has only asked for light. That secured, it will fell all Northern faction, sedition and treason at a blow.

The Projected Frauds—A Warning.

The great reliance of the Democratic leaders is still upon the fraudulent vote. Even yet they hope to be able to use it to a large extent. This they expect to do mainly in the large cities of the North. Notwithstanding the exposure of the gigantic and outrageous army fraud, and notwithstanding the startling effect it has had upon the country, the more reckless and unscrupulous Copperheads are still determined that they shall not be baulked in their nefarious scheme of thwarting the popular will by fraudulent votes. Their scheme, as the evidence before the court-military has shown, was carefully planned, adroitly managed, and came very near to a successful consummation at the first effort. It went so far that it is feared it will even yet be difficult to prevent thousands of manufactured votes from getting into the ballot-boxes of this and other cities. This State, at all events, they are determined to carry by any means, however infamous—though the shrewder of them have now given up all hope of carrying the country and electing their Presidential candidate. It was the State of New-York for which the army frauds were originally manufactured; and nowhere that there is yet the shadow of a chance to use them will they fail to make every possible effort to do so.

If these schemes are altogether and everywhere upset, it will only be by the most vigilant, vigorous and persistent effort from now until the day of election—or, rather, until the night of the day of election. It is not merely the duty of the public authorities and the party authorities to see to this matter; but it is the duty of every voter. We conjure all good citizens in every district of this city, and in every city of the State, to do faithfully each his share in exposing and thwarting this awful iniquity, this atrocious assault upon the public rights and liberties, this foul and murderous stab at the perpetuity and existence of American institutions.

The War Democracy.—The great demonstration of the patriotic War Democracy on Tuesday night is producing a powerful effect among the Democrats of this city. The movement was in the hands of men who were of the highest repute, and their position in the Democratic party in other and better days was such as to give them, now as well as then, a large popular control. The Copperheads have undertaken to abuse these men personally and malignantly. They vituperate them as they vituperate all who are not on the side of Jeff. Davis. They attack them as ferociously as they assail the President and Generals of the Union. But it has little effect on the intelligent men who were members of the old Democratic party. They see the absurdity of the foul assaults, in the name of Democracy, upon men like Cutting, Dix, Webb, Stewart, Roosevelt, Taylor, Whiting and Coddington, by Copperhead malignants and factious fag-ends. But let them assail and malign, and they will find out on election day how much they have gained by it.

Brooklyn War Democracy.—There is, we hear, an odd mixture of fury and consternation among the leading partisans of Peace-Secesh-Vallandigham Democracy, in Brooklyn, at the prospect of dangerous defection from their ranks. The War Democracy there, too, cannot swallow Chicago and surrender, and boldly say so. They hold a meeting to-night at the Brooklyn Academy of Music; and if it is anything like the Cooper Institute meeting on Tuesday last, it will be well worth attending. Sickles and Pierrepont will doubtless say something worth hearing. The leaders of the Peace Democracy in Brooklyn are already much frightened, and have lost their temper. They are engaged in personally abusing and berating their elder brethren who go for Union and for the war to sustain it, but the peace men do not vouchsafe a word in answer to their arguments.

The New and Desperate Rebel Scheme.

It seems to be daily becoming more probable that the South will raise an army of slaves, and will try next campaign to do with 300,000 blacks, what a million of whites have failed to do—establish the independence of the Confederacy. This will at once carry the war into a new phase, and present it to us in an entirely novel light.

If there were any further acknowledgment of the failure of the rebellion needed, it would be found in this. In putting 300,000 slaves under arms, the South says, in plain terms, "We rose for the preservation and perpetuation of slave society; we give that up; you have emancipated most of our slaves; we emancipate the rest ourselves. The end which we now propose to ourselves is simply and singly Southern independence."

What the South is now fighting for, therefore, is the establishment of the Confederacy not as a slave society, but as a free one; in other words, to detach half this continent from the jurisdiction of the United States Government, without reference to the form of political or social organization which is to exist on it afterward; and as its white population has been too much weakened to effect this object, it proposes to accomplish it by the aid of an army of negroes, dragged against their will from the plantation to the field of battle. To this complexion it has come at last.

What the North has now between it and peace is an army of negro slaves, bought like cattle for service, and fighting under the lash. We think this news ought to send a thrill of joy through the whole country. After having done and dared so much, after having met and frustrated a most desperate attempt made by one of the most warlike races in the world, to found a slave empire on our soil, we are hardly likely to lay down our arms, now that the integrity of the Union is threatened by an army of purchased blacks. What the masters have tried in vain the slaves shall certainly not accomplish. "We have despised Catiline's sword; we shall certainly not quail before yours." If there were any shrinking now, the dead who perished in the fiercest of the struggle would mock us from their graves.

The Sixth District.

Mr. Manierre's withdrawal restores harmony of action to the Union party in the Eighth District, and renders the election of Mr. W. E. Dodge reasonably certain. In the Sixth District the party is still divided.

Col. Hawkins has published a card offering to withdraw from the canvass, if Mr. Raymond will do the same, in favor of some third man to be put in nomination. This proposition was submitted to the State Executive Committee two days ago. But it seemed to them perfectly clear that the only effect of such a step would be to surrender the district to the Opposition. The time for carrying out such an arrangement was deemed too short. Both conventions must be got together, and they might have just as much difficulty in agreeing upon a candidate as they did before. But even if they did not, there was not time enough left to organize a canvass for any new man. For these reasons the proposition was declined by the State Committee. The reasons which were deemed conclusive by them *then*, have two-fold force now. There are but two working days left—and every man knows that it would scarcely be possible to print, fold and distribute the ballots within that time,—to say nothing of the general canvass of the new candidate's merits and claims. The soldiers' vote, of course, would be thrown away.

The only course left is for one of the two candidates to withdraw, or for both to run. The efforts made to decide which of the two ought to withdraw, having regard to the interests of the Union party in the district, have already been fully stated. They were all made by Mr. Raymond and his friends; and unless we entirely misunderstand the public judgment, they are universally regarded as having been all that could be asked at their hands. We see nothing to be gained at any further attempts at an adjustment. The voters of the district must decide the question for themselves.

On the vote, a year ago, the district gave 726 Union majority. Two Democratic candidates are now in the field, Elijah Ward and Eli P. Norton. The chances, therefore, are in favor of one of the Union nominees.

"Degenerate Sons."

There is coming a day, centuries hence, when all these tremendous events through which we are now passing, will stand forth in the broad light of history. Then, when as we may confidently believe, one Republican Empire shall hold the whole continent from the Arctic to the Isthmus, with almost unnumbered human beings in the enjoyment of such liberty and such prosperity as the world had never seen, with South as well as North, filled with free and happy communities, and all classes and races equal before the law, the youth of the country will study this grand revolution with even more interest than we now read the records of the war of Independence or study the history of the great French revolution.

They will hear how the great Republic paused, as it were, in the very outset of its career, and by a few years, short in time, but long in suffering and agony, threw off the great burden on its progress, and established for a thousand years of glorious success, its national existence. They will read with ever new emotions, of the losses of priceless lives, and of the desolation of half a continent, patiently borne for the sake of the best interests of liberty, justice and nationality, to be secured to the remotest posterity. The names which thrill us now with the news of victories—Grant and Sherman, Farragut and Sheridan and many another—will then be household words, immortalized in tradition and song.

But History executes stern judgment. She forgets the petty squabbles, the party fame of the day. She will judge the actors in our Revolution, especially in their relation to the great questions of morality which belong to all time. Our "heroes" of a political party, our time-serving demagogues, all the little men who now strut on the stage of affairs, will be utterly forgotten. At that distant day, Slavery will be as much a thing of the past as the Inquisition is now in Germany, or gladiatorial shows in Italy—a feature of ancient barbarism and ignorance. But in their relation to the great struggle for its destruction, all public men will then be judged. It is not too much to say that, apart from his high position in this great Revolution, the single Act of Emancipation will make President Lincoln's name longer beloved and revered than that of any other name in this century. It will be asked, then, about every political and public man, how he stood in reference to that great Wrong which outlasted the barbarism to which it belonged, and to overthrow which a nation was in mortal conflict. Especially will the students of history ask it in regard to those honored names which are associated with struggles against oppression in our earliest history, and with the very foundation of the Republic.

It need not be said that most of our historic names are represented in the army at this time, and are associated with the party of Union and Liberty. There is one marked exception, however—so marked as to attract public attention even amid much more important events; we allude to the position and recent utterances of Hon. Robert C. Winthrop in New-York and New-London.

While the intellect and culture of the country are almost entirely on the other side; while every family honored by a heroic past, is more honored by its sufferings for the national cause now; while all the most advanced and humane minds the world over, publicly sympathize with the efforts and objects of the Union and Republican party, this gentleman, a scholar, and representing the most honored name among the Puritan Fathers, is found siding with such men as Wood and Vallandigham, and upholding, in the broad light of the nineteenth century such a declaration as the Chicago Platform! The student of history hereafter will hear with profound surprise that the purest of the New-England Puritans, in the great crisis of his country's history, placed himself on the side of oppression against the party of liberty, excusing slavery, misrepresenting its opponents, urging a base compromise and a peace which would have wrecked liberty and country together, condemning that legislation which will be the admiration of all time, and throwing the influence of an accomplished scholar and gentleman, and of a name most respected for its association with the upholding of human rights, on the side of the most base, cowardly, reactionary and oppressive party, which would willingly see the whole North beneath a slave oligarchy. We can imagine how that stern old Puritan, the English Winthrop, who was ready to choose a wilderness for conscience sake, would frown on this unworthy position of his descendant in defence of the pro-slavery movement.

To have a name henceforth linked with the defence of slavery and with hostility to one's country in her sorest hour of need, is no enviable reputation. To associate Wood and Winthrop, is as if Roman history should have given us a descendant of Cato with Catiline, or English annals a Hampden among the Jacobite conspirators of the last century.

One can understand how unreflecting, ignorant men, acting for the immediate present, may be beguiled into the support of the Copperhead policy. But for a scholar, a man of culture, learned in the history of various countries and ages, to believe in the Pro-slavery Democracy, is a fact difficult to explain. Mr. Winthrop is familiar with Italy and with Roman history. He knows that what wasted that rich peninsula, what produced the miasmatic campagna and broke up the Roman Empire into countless fragments, was Slavery. He has read how it debauched people and rulers, wasted the land and prepared the way for tyrants and foreign conquerors. He has studied the long history of the German Confederacy, and knows what a harvest of woes to a mighty people has been brought by disunion and the doctrine of the sovereignty of petty States and a loose confederacy. And yet he would now give slavery a new lease of life on this continent, stop the war for the Union, and admit that fatal armistice and peace which will be the sure precursors of a disorganization of all the States. He stands in effect on the platform of Slavery and Disunion. How he can reconcile his position with his reason, his knowledge, or his conscience, we do not seek to know. We regret it most for his own sake and the sake of a noble, historic name.

Prospects of the Canvass.

The following is from the Rochester *Union*:

"We now have *positive* evidence of the abandonment of Indiana by the Republicans, and their hopeless view of Connecticut. Raymond is telegraphing speakers booked for the West to *let Indiana go and hasten to Connecticut!* Of this there is no question!"

The *Union* subsequently explains that this information was procured from a private dispatch or letter of Mr. R. If the *Union* read this purloined letter through, he learned that the reason for recalling speakers from Indiana was because that *State was considered perfectly safe*. No further efforts there were considered necessary. Neither the *Union* nor anybody else has seen any letter or dispatch from Mr. Raymond intimating, directly or indirectly, that Indiana was to be "abandoned," or that the Union men are "hopeless" in Connecticut. *Both* those States will give large majorities for Lincoln and Johnson.

Ninth Assembly District.—In the Ninth District (Sixteenth Ward) Samuel C. Reed is the regular Union and Citizen's candidate for the Assembly. He is a gentleman of ability and character, and has already served the district ably and acceptably for one term, and deserves the vote of every Union man. His nomination was indorsed by the German Republican organization on Thursday night. Mr. Lamont, who is also a candidate, was put in nomination by the so-called Draper organization, but at a subsequent meeting his nomination was withdrawn and that of Mr. Reed was confirmed. There ought to be no doubt as to the regularity of Mr. Reed's nomination, and no hesitation about supporting him.

Election Frauds.

It is well understood that frauds and cheating on a bold and unparalleled scale, in the coming election, are contemplated and determined on by the enemies of the Union in our midst, and the State General Committee, Room No. 17 Astor-House, invite all friends of the Union to communicate any cases which may require especial attention. Hundreds of fraudulent votes may, by timely care, be kept from the ballot-box, and every false vote suppressed is one Union gain. Let all for three days be vigilant, and here help on the good cause our brave boys are battling for at the front.

The First Congressional District.—The Union Convention, held at Jamaica yesterday, nominated by acclamation Hon. Henry G. Stebbins for the short term vacancy, occasioned by Mr. Stebbins' resignation. The bold and independent course of Mr. Stebbins, and the reasons which induced him to cut loose from the peace-at-any-price influences of the Chicago Platform, should now receive a hearty indorsement from the War Democracy and all other Union men of that District. With proper effort, he may be returned to finish the term which he has so honorably begun.

THE UNION ARMIES.

Splendid Results of Volunteering.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.
WASHINGTON, Friday, Nov. 4.

Mr. Whiting, Solicitor of the War Department, says that on the first day of October we had received under the last call over one hundred and twenty thousand volunteers, and he had been informed by authority to which he gave the highest credit, that the last draft, when completed, would furnish all the men that would be needed for the war.

NEWS FROM WASHINGTON.

Special Dispatches to the New-York Times.
WASHINGTON, Friday, Nov. 4.

THE PAYMENT OF FURLOUGHED SOLDIERS.

Paymaster J. A. G. Baker, of Missouri, who has been so energetic and capable in assisting the New-York Union Agency in facilitating New-York soldiers in voting, has been, since yesterday morning, actively engaged in paying off furloughed soldiers the month's advanced pay ordered yesterday by the War Department. The homeward bound veterans are being rapidly paid off, and will give a good account of themselves at the ensuing election.

PERSONAL.

Maj.-Gen. Casey and Gen. Eaton, Commissary General U. S. A., and several other regular army officers, who have never voted before, sent their votes for the Union home to-day, through the Union agency in this city.

DEATHS IN HOSPITALS.

The following deaths of New-York soldiers are reported to-day: John Tyson, Company A, Sixth Cavalry; Henry Bansler, Company B, Sixty-first Infantry; John A. Thaw, Company A, First Artillery; W. Dawson, Company B, One Hundred and Eleventh Infantry.

Dispatches to the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Friday, Nov. 4.

GEN. BUTLER.

It is reported that Maj.-Gen. Butler, who left this city yesterday for New York, has gone there to assume temporarily the command of the Eastern Department, in place of Gen. Dix, who will, however, be retained in the Department to act in conjunction with Gen. Butler.

RELEASED ON PAROLE.

Lieut.-Col. Murphy, of the Seventh New-York Artillery, who was arrested and committed to the Old Capitol Prison, on the charge of being implicated in the election frauds, has been released on parole.

PERSONAL.

Secretary Seward and Assistant Secretary Frederick Seward, left the city this morning for their homes.

THE SEVEN-THIRTY LOAN.

The subscriptions to the Seven-Thirty Loan for Tuesday and Wednesday, as reported to the Treasury Department, amounts to $718,000.

Mr. Belmont's Bet.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

The method taken by Mr. Belmont (in the note published in your paper of yesterday) is more ingenious than manly. The terms of his proposition looked at from the point of view occupied by men of ordinary ideas of the duty of Americans, are simply ridiculous. Mr. Belmont knows, as well as any one possessing the least spark of intelligence, that Mr. Lincoln will be elected as sure as there will be daylight on Tuesday next. He also knows, that if, after the election, the Democratic party hold themselves true to the principles of democratic government, and in good faith acquiesce in the expressed will of the majority of their countrymen—or even if their support of the Government be not all that real patriotism would suggest, but simply a *negative* support, then the war which has been forced upon us, will be speedily brought to an issue, and the integrity of the Union, for which so many brave hearts have bled, will be forever secured.

If, however, the *so called* Democratic party think that it is patriotic and just, and consistent with a republican form of government, to follow the example of the Southern leaders in 1860, and attempt to destroy the country, the moment they fail to obtain over it exclusive control, then, of course, the war may be prolonged to an indefinite extent. From *this* stand-point Mr. Belmont may possibly know the chances of the bet he offers, and if so, its terms are not ridiculous but atrocious.

AMERICAN.
NEW-YORK, Friday, Nov. 4, 1864.

Look at the Signatures.

To the Editor of the New-York Times.

Allow me, through the medium of your valuable paper to call the attention of soldiers' proxies to the importance of scrutinizing carefully the signatures to affidavits sent them with what purport to be soldiers votes. There is no doubt a gigantic scheme is on foot to make innocent and well-meaning proxies cast votes the very reverse of what the soldiers for whom they act, would send to the ballot box. I saw yesterday an envelope which purported to enclose a soldier's vote, the affidavit upon which was duly filled out, and purported to have been executed before competent authority, but when we came to the signature, *the name commenced with the wrong letter of the alphabet!* But for this discrepancy, the ballots would have been cast as a soldier's vote, without any suspicion on the part of the proxy that it was fraudulent; and yet, when his attention was called to that point, and he compared the handwriting of the signature with that of his friend, *that* also showed most conclusively that the document was a forgery. Let every proxy, then, look carefully at the signature of the affidavit, and compare it with the known handwriting of the soldier from whom it purports to come. It is about the only way which the law affords of detecting fraudulent votes and forged affidavits.

Respectfully yours,
THOS. P. HOW,
No. 81 Hicks-street, Brooklyn.

AMUSEMENTS.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—The opera of "Rigoletto" was given here very acceptably last evening. It had evidently been rehearsed with much care, and the result was a general and very agreeable air of completeness in the representation. Signor MASTRIANI's *Duke* is certainly the best effort he has yet made. From the opening cabalotta to the jaunty air of the last scene, he was thoroughly admirable. We have never heard the quality and strength of his remarkable voice to greater advantage. Signor BELLINI was good as the Court jester, acting and singing (a little hoarsely, however,) with equal spirit. The smaller parts were well distributed, and the chorus and orchestra, under Mr. MAERTZER's direction, were thoroughly efficient. Mme. MORENSI's *Magdalena* was a very capital rendering of that small but important part.

The interest of the evening centred on Mrs. VAN ZANDT, a lady who has already made a favorable impression as a concert singer, and who as *Gilda* made her first appearance on the operatic stage last evening. Mrs. VAN ZANDT possesses every requisite for the profession she has selected, and will undoubtedly become one of its best American ornaments. Her voice is a soprano, of good calibre and cultivation, marred in its delivery last evening by frequent timidity, but evidently of sufficient power even for the Academy. Mme. VAN ZANDT was received with much favor by the audience. Her *début* was a complete success. There will be a grand matinée to-day—"Lucrezia Borgia."

PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY.—The first concert of the Philharmonic Society of New-York takes place to-night, at the Academy of Music, under the direction of Mr. CARL BERGMANN. The instrumental features of the programme are: 1. Eroica Symphony, by BEETHOVEN. 2. Les Preludes, by LISZT. 3. Overture to "Oberon," by WEBER. 4. MENDELSSOHN'S concerto for violin, played by Mr. THEODORE THOMAS. 5. LISZT's transcription from "Faust," played by Mr. S. B. MILLS. The last rehearsal takes place at 10 o'clock.

THEATRE FRANCAIS.—"Nos Alliés," comedy by M. P. MERCIER, will be given here to-night; also a one act vaudeville.

Fine Arts.

Miss HOSMER's statue of "Zenobia," which held its own amid the art treasures of the World's Fair of 1862, and was indeed one of the sculptured gems of the Great London Exhibition, has arrived in this country, and will shortly be exhibited at the Derby Gallery, No. 625 Broadway. It is probably the most important work ever executed in marble by a lady. Miss HOSMER is a native of Massachusetts.

BATTLE OF LAKE ERIE.—Mr. POWELL'S great picture of PERRY changing his flag will shortly be exhibited in New-York. SHEDDON'S new gallery has been secured for it.

CARPENTER'S EMANCIPATION PICTURE.—CARPENTER'S fine painting of the President and his Cabinet will be removed after to-day. No good Union man, no lover of freedom, should neglect seeing it. At the Crayon Gallery, corner of Eighth-street and Broadway.

ENGRAVING.—One of the best library portraits of ABRAHAM LINCOLN we have yet seen is that published by E. D. MARCHANT, after an original picture painted in 1863 by the same gentleman, and now in possession of the Union League of Philadelphia. It gives the peculiarly genial yet earnest expression of the Chief Magistrate's features with much fidelity; and, in other respects, is a meritorious work of art. It has been engraved by JOHN SARTAIN, of Philadelphia.

The Sixth Congressional District.

To the Voters of the Sixth Congressional District:

I feel it my duty to reply to the following statement of Col. HAWKINS, in his card in this morning's *Tribune*:

"*Second.* After the referee acting in my behalf had proposed to withdraw his candidate, if Mr. RAYMOND's would do the same, and after another offer had been made to decide upon a third referee by drawing names from a hat, Mr. RAYMOND's referee then said: '*I cannot enter into any arrangement which will jeopard the chances of my candidate.*' After this *astounding assertion*, which showed conclusively that Mr. RAYMOND was to be a candidate under any and all circumstances, of course it became impossible for my referee to accept any third party recommended by Mr. RAYMOND's referee or his friends."

Col. H. has been misinformed. I have said no such thing to his referee, or to any other person, at any time. His referee, among other things, proposed to put the names of JOHN T. DENNY and GEORGE W. BLUNT into a hat and draw one of them out for the third man—it being understood that Mr. DENNY was committed to Col. H.; and to this proposition to decide the question by lot, I called his attention to the fact that gambling for nominations, by our adversaries, was censured by our friends last year; that I did not consider it a proper mode; that if I represented the interest of ——, I might, perhaps, gamble for his chance, but I could not agree to submit Mr. RAYMOND to any 4-11-44 decision, especially as that mode was not within our power; that we were referees on a question of judgment, not chance, and I then read to him Col. H.'s letter to Mr. RAYMOND, as to selecting a third man.

At our final interview, Col. H.'s referee mentioned Mr. GEORGE W. BLUNT as one of those who had personally told Col. H. that he ought to withdraw, and said, "Now I would not make the proposition I made to you before, to put the names of JOHN T. DENNY and GEORGE W. BLUNT into a hat and draw out one." It may be this statement of his referee that has been repeated to Col. H. as having been made by me, and has thus misled him. E. C. BENEDICT.

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MARRIED.

BALDWIN—VORIS.—In Brooklyn, on Thursday, Nov. 3, by Rev. G. S. Gilbert, GEO. H. BALDWIN and AMANDA M., daughter of V. S. Voris, Esq., all of Brooklyn. No cards.

HARRINGTON—BOWEN.—On Friday evening, Nov. 4, by Rev. J. Romeyne Berry, D. D., of the Third R. D. Church, Jersey City, Mr. E. D. C. HARRINGTON and Miss SARAH J. BOWEN, both of New-York.

☞ Washington, D. C., and Rochester, N. Y., papers please copy.

MARVIN—MORROW.—On Thursday, Nov. 3, by Rev. Peter Stryker, of New-York city, ROBERT CROWELL MARVIN and HANNAH A., daughter of George Morrow, Esq., all of Bergen, N. J. No cards.

RANDOLPH—BAYARD.—On Thursday, Nov. 3, by Rev. William Herbert Norris, JOHN F. RANDOLPH, Surgeon U. S. Army, and VIRGINIA DASHIELL, daughter of Hon. Samuel J. Bayard, of New-Jersey.

ROLLINS—BOWMAN.—On Wednesday, Nov. 2, at Wilkesbarre, Penn., in St. Stephen's Church, by Rev. Henry A. Coit, Lieut. JAMES H. ROLLINS, U. S. A., and EULALIE, eldest daughter of Col. A. H. Bowman, U. S. A.

DIED.

BRUSH.—Near the City of Washington, on Sunday, Oct. 30, MARY ELIZABETH, wife of George C. Brush, and daughter of Selah Strong, Esq.

Her remains will be conveyed to Comac, L. I. Funeral to-morrow, (Sunday,) after the arrival of the morning train for this city.

BACON.—In Brooklyn, on Friday, Nov. 4, WILBUR RICHARDSON, youngest child of Emily A. and L. M. Bacon, aged 2 years, 3 months and 23 days.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, this day, (Saturday,) the 5th inst., at 1 o'clock P. M., from the residence of his parents, No. 256 Cumberland-st., between Lafayette and De Kalb avs., Brooklyn.

DRAKE.—On Wednesday, Nov. 2, WILLIAM B. DRAKE, aged 56 years, 11 months and 22 days.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, (not from his brother-in-law's, as erroneously stated in Friday's *Herald*,) No. 209 West 43d st., on Sunday, the 6th inst., at 3 o'clock, without further invitation.

HERRING.—In Brooklyn, on Thursday, Nov. 3, GEORGE, son of James and Emily C. Herring, in the 19th year of his age.

The friends of the family, and the members of Company B, Thirteenth N. Y. S. M., are invited to attend his funeral services, from No. 240 Carlton-av., on Sunday afternoon, at 2½ o'clock.

IMLAY.—In Brooklyn, on Thursday, Nov. 3, ELIZABETH W. STOUT, wife of Joseph M. Imlay.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, on Sunday, Nov. 6, at 10½ A. M., from the North Reformed Dutch Church, Clermont-av., without further notice.

JONES.—At Winchester, Va., on Sunday, Oct. 30, from wounds received at the battle of Cedar Creek, Oct. 19, Major EDWARD JONES, 64th N. Y. H. Artillery, eldest son of Jabez and Sally Jones, of Somers, N. Y., aged 25 years.

JOHNSTON.—On Thursday, Nov. 3, MARGARET, wife of Wm. Johnston, in the 45th year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 622 Greenwich-st., on Sunday, Nov. 6, at 2 o'clock P. M.

☞ Glasgow and Paisley, Scotland, papers please copy.

MILLET.—On board steamer *Cassandra*, JAMES C. MILLET, Commissary 11th N. Y. V. Cavalry, Scott's Nine Hundred, on Sunday, Oct. 23, in the service of his country—buried at sea Oct. 24—the eldest son of William E. and Mary B. Millet.

MCCAIN.—In Hoboken, on Thursday morning, Nov. 3 WM. MCCAIN, aged 73 years.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, on Saturday, the 5th inst., from his late residence, No. 311 Willow-st., Hoboken, N. J., at 1 o'clock P. M.

MUDGETT.—In this city, on Friday, Nov. 4, ELIZA M., wife of B. F. Mudgett, aged 38 years.

Funeral from her late residence, No. 18 Park-av., corner of 35th-st., on Monday, the 7th inst., at 12 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend, without further notice.

MARTIN.—In this city, on Friday evening, Nov. 4, MARY, eldest daughter of Charles J. and Mary Martin, of Orange, N. J.

Notice of the funeral will be given in the evening papers.

MCMILLAN.—Suddenly, on Thursday, Nov. 3, SARAH FOX, beloved wife of George McMillan, aged 45 years, 8 months and 9 days.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 133 Tillary-st., corner of Stanton, Brooklyn, on Sunday, the 6th inst., at 1½ P. M., without further invitation. The remains will be taken to Greenwood.

Thus has passed away,
We trust, to realms of endless day,
An affectionate wife,
A fond mother,
And a devoted friend.

SCHAFER.—In Brooklyn, on Thursday, Nov. 3, JOSEPHINE MARIE, second daughter of John F. and Anna Schafer, aged 9 years, of scarlet fever.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, at the residence of her parents, No. 34 Tompkins-place, at 2 o'clock to-day, without further invitation.

☞ California papers please copy.

STEWART.—On Thursday, Nov. 3, CHARLOTTE PINKNEY, youngest daughter of W. P. and Helen Le Roy Stewart, aged 5 years and 10 months.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, from the Ascension Church, 5th-av. and 10th-st., on Monday morning next, at 10 o'clock.

TAPPEN.—At Newark, N. J., on Friday, Nov. 4, Mrs. JANE ANN TAPPEN, aged 68 years.

Her remains will be taken to Rhinebeck, Dutchess County, for interment.

TILFORD.—Suddenly, on Thursday, Nov. 3, JAMES A TILFORD, aged 47 years.

His relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his brother, No. 95 West 21st-st., on Sunday afternoon, the 6th inst., at 2 o'clock.

VAIL.—On Tuesday, Nov. 1, at Plainfield, N. J., ELISA C., wife of Mahlon Vail, and daughter of the late Joseph Prescott Boyle, of Liverpool, Nova Scotia, aged 41 years, 2 months and 29 days.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, at 2 o'clock P. M. Saturday, 5th inst.

VAN DOLSEN.—On Thursday, Oct. 3, GARRET VAN DOLSEN, in the 76th year of his age.

His friends, and those of the family, are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from the Dutch Reformed Church at Charleston, on Sunday, the 6th inst., at 2 P. M. His remains will be interred in Oak Hill Cemetery.

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A GOOD INVESTMENT.—173 ACRES ON THE Hudson River for $13,000; house, barn, orchard, fine view of river; sold to close an estate; near a depot. Apply to G. W. DITCHETT, No. 2 New Chambers-st., 2d floor.

FOR SALE—WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION, at South Bergen, two miles by horse-cars from Jersey City Ferry, Montague Villa, fitted up with every modern convenience. Apply to C. H. SMITH, No. 110 Broadway.

FOR SALE IN BINGHAMTON—A LARGE house, recently repaired, with furnace, &c.; the lot near two acres; 150 fruit-trees, vines, &c.; scenery unsurpassed. Inquire of E. H. LUDLOW, 3 Pine-st., N. Y.

HOUSE FOR SALE—AT FLUSHING, LONG Island; first-class residence in perfect order; ample grounds and outbuildings; immediate possession. PARSONS & WARD, No. 81 Cedar-st.

$1,600 WILL BUY A NEAT COTTAGE on Staten Island, 3 minutes from Factville Landing; abundance of fine fruits. Address DANIEL, No. 166 Fulton-st.

FOR SALE—A FURNISHED HOUSE, 20x50, West 45th-st., between 5th and 6th avs. Apply to COR. R. DISOSWAY, No. 5 Beekman-st., Room No 8. No commissions allowed.

FOR SALE—FOUR-STORY BROWN-STONE front house, in 33d-st., in perfect order, with every convenience. PARSONS & WARD, No. 81 Cedar-st.

FOR SALE—SIX LOTS ON WEST SIDE OF THE 1st-av., between 2d and 3d sts. Apply to MULLER, WILKINS & CO., No. 5½ Pine-st.

TO LET.

TO RENT,

FOR BALLS, CONCERTS, LECTURES, FAIRS, MEETINGS, &c., &c.,
THE ELEGANT LARGE HALL,
With DRAWING-ROOMS, SUPPER-ROOMS, KITCHEN and BAR attached,
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Apply at the hall,
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A GENTLEMAN ABOUT LEAVING FOR California offers to rent his house, genteelly furnished, for the winter, with or without stable, horses, carriages, sleighs, &c., &c. Rent for the house till May, to a good tenant and small private family, $2,500; and $1,000 extra for the stable, horses, carriages, sleighs, &c. The house is not a large one. Apply to HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

FOR RENT—A PARTIALLY-FURNISHED large commodious mansion, within the city limits of Elizabeth, N. J., on Rockaway-av., surrounded by extensive grounds, well stocked with fruit and ornamental trees, stabling and outbuildings connected. Inquire on the premises, or of E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine-st., New-York.

TO LET—A FURNISHED HOUSE IN ORANGE, near Brick Church Station, rent to May 1, $400; house contains large drawing and dining rooms, and is warmed by heater. Apply to H. B. BLACKWELL, No. 59 William-st., New-York, or No. 49 Main-st., Orange.

FURNISHED HOUSE TO LET ON 16TH-ST., between Union-square and 6th-av., for 6 or 12 months. Inquire at No. 27 Wall-st., second story, between 12 M. and 2 o'clock. HENRY H. ELLIOTT.

HOUSES & ROOMS WANTED

WANTED, TO RENT OR LEASE—A PLACE suitable for the produce or commission business, in the vicinity of Washington Market preferred. Address D. N., Box No. 133 *Times* Office, stating full particulars as to rent, location, &c.

FURNISHED ROOMS WANTED—IN THE neighborhood of 14th-st. and Union-square; parlor and two bed-rooms required; French, German or Spanish family preferred. Address BRADY'S GALLERY, No. 785 Broadway.

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DESIRABLE COUNTRY BOARD, FOR families, can be had at the residence of the subscriber; comfortable rooms, liberal table, very healthy and pleasant location among the hills. Address H. E., Town of Esopus, Ulster County, N. Y. Daily communication with the City, by boat and rail.

MRS. ARNOLD, AT NO. 377 EAST 14TH-st., will have, after Nov. 7, two very fine suites of rooms to let, with board, on first and second floors. The one on the first floor is a large front room. House first class. References required.

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A PARLOR AND BEDROOM, WITH board, may be had in a strictly private family of four (no children,) in West 23d-st; none but those of the highest respectability need apply; to such a good opportunity offers. Address Box No. 368 Post office.

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Regular Catalogue sale THIS DAY, at 2 P. M., of horses, carriages, harness, saddles, bridles, &c., consisting of trotting, carriages and work horses, coupes, phætons, top and no top wagons, single and double harness, &c., &c.

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PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR RATIONS.

QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, U. S. M. CORPS,
WASHINGTON, Oct. 21, 1864.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 2 o'clock P. M. of the 25th day of November next, for furnishing rations to the United States Marines, at the following stations, for the year 1865, viz.:

Portsmouth, New-Hampshire;
Charlestown, Massachusetts;
Brooklyn, New-York;
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania;
Washington City, District of Columbia;
Gosport, near Norfolk, Virginia;

Each ration to consist of three-fourths of a pound of pork or bacon, or one and a fourth pound of fresh or salt beef; eighteen ounces of bread or flour, or twelve ounces of hard bread, or one and a fourth pound of corn meal; and at the rate to one hundred rations of eight quarts of beans; or, in lieu thereof, ten pounds of rice; or, in lieu thereof, twice per week, one hundred and fifty ounces of desiccated potatoes, and one hundred ounces of mixed vegetables; ten pounds of coffee; or, in lieu thereof, one and a half pound of tea; fifteen pounds of sugar; four quarts of vinegar; one pound of sperm candles, or one and one-fourth pound of adamantine candles, or one and a half pound of tallow; four pounds of soap and two quarts of salt.

The rations to be delivered upon the order of the commanding officer of each station; the fresh beef, either in bulk or by the single ration, of good quality, with an equal proportion of the fore and hind quarters, necks and kidneys, tallow excluded; the pork, No. 1 prime mess pork; the flour, extra superfine; the coffee, good Rio; the sugar, good New-Orleans or its equivalent; and the beans, vinegar, candles, soap, salt, &c., to be of good quality.

All subject to inspection.

All bids must be accompanied by the following guarantee:

FORM OF GUARANTEE.

The undersigned, ——, of ——, in the State of ——, and ——, of ——, in the State of ——, hereby guarantee that in case the foregoing bid of ——, for rations, as above described, be accepted, he or they will, within ten days after the receipt of the contract at the post-office named, execute the contract for the same with good and sufficient securities; and in case the said —— shall fail to enter into contract, as aforesaid, we guarantee to make good the difference between the offer of the said —— and that which may be accepted.

Witness: A. B. Guarantor.
E. F. C. D. Guarantor.
——, 186—.

I hereby certify that the above-named —— are known to me as men of property, and able to make good their guarantee.

To be signed by the United States District Judge, United States District Attorney, and Collector.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the above guarantee.

Newspapers authorized to publish the above will send the paper containing the first insertion to this office for examination.

Proposals to be indorsed "Proposals for Rations for 1865," and addressed to the undersigned.

W. B. SLACK,
Major and Quartermaster.

SALE OF CONDEMNED ORDNANCE STORES.

WASHINGTON ARSENAL,
WASHINGTON, D. C. Nov. 3, 1864.

Will be sold at public auction, at the Arsenal, on the 19th of November, 1864, at 10 o'clock A. M., a lot of Ordnance Stores, condemned as unfit for use, viz:

1 Steam Boiler and Pump.
1 Double Lathe.
6 Grindstones.
741 Gray Blankets.
1,608 Blue Blankets.
1,901 Red Blankets.
97 Pelepads, Gutta Percha.
66 Valises, Cavalry, round.
2,317 Nose Bags.
2,833 Surcingles.
1,621 Blankets.
583 McClellan Saddle-trees.
110 yards Silk Serge.
40 pounds Woolen Yarn.
1,000 pounds Woolen Rags.
3 pounds Shoe-thread.
85 Barrels.
5 Jugs.
7 Bottles.
2 Water Cans.
332 Watering Buckets, Gutta Percha.
79 Watering Buckets, Leather.
Also, a large lot of Wrought and Cast Iron.

Successful bidders will be required to remove the stores within five days from the date of sale.

Terms, cash in Government funds.

(Signed,) J. G. BENTON,
Major Ordnance Commanding.

ARMY SUPPLIES.

OFFICE OF ARMY CLOTHING AND EQUIPAGE,
No. 502 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, Nov. 4, 1864.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until SATURDAY, the 12th inst., for furnishing by contract at the depot of Army Clothing and Equipage in this city:

Two hundred sets of six-mule wagon harness.

To be made according to the new specifications or sample in this office. Bidders will state the shortest time in which they can deliver the quantity to be bid for.

All proposals should be accompanied with a proper guarantee for the faithful performance of a contract.

The United States reserves the right to reject all bids deemed objectionable.

Proposals should be indorsed "Proposals for Delivering Harness," and addressed to

Col. D. H. VINTON,
Dep. Quartermaster-Gen. U. S. A.

QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,
No. 17 STATE-ST., NEW-YORK, Nov. 1, 1864.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at this office until 12 M. of SATURDAY, 5th inst., for the following articles, viz.:

Beeswax per pound.
Benzine per gallon.
Deck Buckets each.
Chain, 1½ and 2 inch per pound.
Firmer Chisels per set.
Flour of Emery per pound.
Fire Brick per set.
Brass Fancots, ½ to 1 inch each.
Tin Funnels, assorted.
Window Glass, 11x14 to 16x20 per box.
Hawsers, 5 to 10 inch per pound.
Round Iron, assorted, from ½ to 2 inch per ton.
Square Iron, assorted, from ½ to 2 inch per ton.
Knives and Forks per dozen.
Lamp Black per pound.
White Lead, pure in oil, in 25, 50 and 100 pound kegs per ton.
Red Lead, in oil, per pound.
Black Lead, in oil, per pound.
Litharge per pound.
Linseed Oil, raw, per gallon.
Linseed Oil, boiled, per gallon.
Palm Oil per gallon.
Lard Oil per gallon.
Oakum per pound.
Potash per pound.
Pitch per pound.
Putty, in barrels, per pound.
Sheet Gum Packing, assorted, from 1-16th to ½ inch per pound.
Square Rubber, assorted, from ¾ to 1 inch per pound.
Patent Dryer per pound.
Manilla Rope, assorted, from ½ to 2 inch per pound.
Hemp Rope, assorted, per pound.
Bell Rope per pound.
Ratlin per pound.
Wrought Spikes per pound.
Cut Spikes per pound.
Seizing Stuff per pound.
Spun Yarn per pound.
Spanish Brown, dry, per pound.
Spanish Brown, in oil, per pound.
Sand Paper, assorted, per ream.
Spirits Turpentine per gallon.
Copal Varnish, (Turpentine,) per gallon.
Copal Varnish, (Benzine,) per gallon.
Demar Varnish per gallon.
Shellac Varnish per gallon.
Cotton Warte, in bales, per pound.
Zinc Sheathing per pound.
Corn Brooms per dozen.
Hickory Brooms per dozen.

Articles to be subject to inspection before shipment, and to be securely packed in suitable packages, and delivered at place of shipment in this city free of expense to the United States.

Persons may offer for any article of the list.

Payment will be made in such funds as are provided by the United States. The privilege is reserved of rejecting any proposal not deemed advantageous. Offerings should be indorsed

Proposals for Quartermaster stores, and addressed to Brevet Brig.-Gen. STEWART VAN VLIET,
Quartermaster United States Army.

OFFICE OF THE STREET COMMISSIONER,
No. 237 Broadway.

TO CONTRACTORS—PROPOSALS INCLOSED in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the work, and with the name of the holder written thereon, will be received at this office until MONDAY, November 14, 1864, at eleven o'clock A. M.

For regulating and grading, &c., Ninetieth-street, between Ninth-avenue and Broadway.

For regulating and grading, curb, gutter and flagging One Hundred and Twenty-fourth-street, between Third and Eighth avenues.

For regulating and grading Ninth-avenue, between Broadway and Eighty-sixth-street.

For curb and gutter and flagging Sixty-second-street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

For curb, gutter and flagging Fifty-second-street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

For filling sunken lots between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-third-streets and First-avenue and Avenue A.

Repairing outer end of Pier number thirty-seven North River.

Building tender for Engine Company number nine.

Blank forms of proposals, together with the specifications and agreements, can be obtained at this office.

Dated Street Department, New-York, November 9, 1864.

CHARLES G. CORNELL,
Street Commissioner.

ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,
FORAGE DEPARTMENT, No. 66 CEDAR-ST.,
NEW-YORK, March 11, 1864.

PROPOSITIONS WILL BE RECEIVED daily, for the

FREIGHTING OF FORAGE

for the U. S. Quartermaster's Department, from New-York City, Philadelphia, Boston, Portland, and other ports on Coast of Maine,

TO

Washington, Alexandria, Va.; Newbern, N. C.; Port Royal, S. C., and New-Orleans, La.

PROPOSITIONS

must state name, standing and capacity of vessel, quantity of hay and grain, respectively, they will require, and when ready for cargo, and addressed to

S. L. BROWN,
Captain and Asst. Quartermaster

LEGAL NOTICES.

HAMILTON WOOD, JR., AGAINST ALEXANDER MCDONALD, Jr.—The partnership heretofore existing between the above-named parties, known as THE NEW-YORK PHOTOGRAPHIC COMPANY, having been dissolved and the undersigned appointed the Receiver thereof and also Referee to take and state the firm accounts; notice is hereby given to all persons who are or claim to be creditors of said firm, to present their accounts to the undersigned, as such Receiver and Referee, at my office, No. 61 William-st., New-York City, on or before the 26th day of November, 1864, at 3, P. M. of that day. GEO. W. WINGATE, Receiver and Referee.

Dated, NEW-YORK, Nov. 3, 1864.

FINANCIAL.

NIAGARA
FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
REMOVED TO
NO. 12 WALL-STREET.
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FISK & HATCH,
BANKERS,
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NO. 56 WALL-ST.,
ISSUE COMMERCIAL AND TRAVELERS' CREDITS FOR USE IN THE COUNTRY AND ABROAD.

METROPOLITAN INSURANCE COMPANY,
No. 108 Broadway, Oct. 2, 1864.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual election of this Company will be held at the office, on MONDAY, the 7th day of November next, between the hours of 12 M. and 1 P. M., for the choice of six directors, in the places of those whose term of office will expire on that day, and of three Inspectors to preside at the next election. The transfer books will be closed from the 3d day of November until after the election.

J. C. GOODRIDGE, Secretary.
By order of the Directors.

OFFICE PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
NEW-YORK, 3d November, 1864.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual election for nine Directors of this company will be held at the office of the company, No. 56 Wall-st., on WEDNESDAY, November 9, 1864, between the hours of 12 M. and 2 P. M. The transfer books will be closed on Saturday, Nov. 5, at 2 P. M., and reopen on Tuesday, 15th, at 10 A. M. By order of the Board of Directors.

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VIRGINIA	2,876	Lewis.
PENNSYLVANIA	2,972	Brooking.

Leaving Pier No. 47, North River, as follows:

LOUISIANA—Prowse.....Saturday, Nov. 5
PENNSYLVANIA—Brooking.....Saturday, Nov. 19.
VIRGINIA—Lewis.....Saturday, Dec. 3.
ERIN—Grace.....Saturday, Dec. 17.
AND EVERY ALTERNATE SATURDAY THEREAFTER.

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First Cabin to Paris...95 | Steerage to Paris.....40
First Cabin to Hamburg..90 | Steerage to Hamburg...37

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Fares from Liverpool or Queenstown—First Cabin, $75, $85, $105. Steerage, $35. Those who wish to send for their friends can buy tickets here at these rates.

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EUROPA leaves Boston Wednesday, Oct. 26.
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CANADA leaves Boston Wednesday, Nov. 9.
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ARABIA leaves Boston Wednesday, Nov. 23.
AUSTRALASIAN leaves New-York Wednesday, Nov. 30.

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EVENING STAR	Bell	Saturday, Dec. 10.
GUIDING STAR	Knapp	Saturday, Dec. 17.
MORNING STAR	Nelson	Saturday, Dec. 24.
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From Pier 46 North River, 3d Pier above Canal-st., N. Y.

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Until the completion of the entire list, the service will be performed by the
WASHINGTON, A. DUCHESNE;
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FROM NEW-YORK TO HAVRE.

LAFAYETTE.....WEDNESDAY.....Nov. 9.
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First Cabin, (including table wine).....$135
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Payable in gold, or its equivalent in United States currency.

Medical attendance free of charge.

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FOR HAVANA VIA NASSAU, N. P.

The British and North American Royal Mail Steam Packet Company's new steamer "CORSICA," Capt. LE MESSURIER, will sail for the above ports, from the company's wharf, at Jersey City, on MONDAY, Nov. 7, at 2 P. M.

Passage money to Nassau.....$45
Passage money to Havana.....50

(Payable in Gold or its equivalent.)

No freight received on day before sailing.

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FOR NEW-ORLEANS DIRECT.

The new and first-class United States Mail Steamship GEORGE CROMWELL,
Capt. E. E. VAILL,

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NO CHARGE FOR MEALS ON THE TRANSIT.
The new and elegant steamship
GOLDEN RULE,
D. S. BABCOCK, Commander.
On SATURDAY, Nov. 19, at noon,
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D. W. CARRINGTON, Agent.
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FOR CALIFORNIA, VIA PANAMA.

Under convoy of a United States war steamer, throughout the Atlantic voyage.

The following first-class side-wheel steamers will be dispatched at noon precisely, from Pier No. 3, North River.

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Nov. 23.....OCEAN QUEEN.....SEABURY.
Dec. 3.....NORTH STAR.....JONES.

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ATLANTIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.

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The first-class side-wheel steamship ARIEL, S. G. RUSSELL, Commander, will sail from Pier No. 3 North River, at 3 o'clock P. M. on WEDNESDAY, Nov. 16.

For freight or passage, at reduced rates, apply to
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N. B.—The CHAMPION, WILSON, Commander, will follow on WEDNESDAY, Nov. 30.

FOR HAVANA DIRECT.—THE UNITED States Mail Steamship EAGLE, Capt. J. J. LAWRENCE, will leave Pier No. 4, North River, on WEDNESDAY, Nov. 9, at 3 o'clock P. M. precisely, for HAVANA direct.

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No. 29 Broadway.

The favorite Steamer COLUMBIA, Capt. BARTON, will succeed the EAGLE, and leave on Wednesday, Nov. 16, at 3 o'clock P. M. precisely.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.—THE CARGO of the steamship *Atlanta*, which vessel sailed from London on the 27th August for New-York, via Havre, and put into Queenstown in distress, was transhipped per steamship *Celtic*, just arrived at this port. To avoid the expense of discharging under general order, consignees will please call without delay at the office of the undersigned, with their bills of lading for indorsement, and sign the average bond.

LAWSON & WALKER, Average Adjusters,
NEW-YORK, Oct 26, 1864. No. 62 Wall-st.

THE STEAMSHIP LOUISIANA, GROGAN, Master, will sail at noon, on SATURDAY, Nov 5, from Pier No. 47 North River. Passengers are requested to be on board by 11½ o'clock. Letters and parcels taken at the office of the subscribers until 12 M.
WILLIAMS & GUION, No. 71 Wall-st.

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EXPRESS TRAINS FROM NEW-YORK TO ALBANY AND TROY leave the depot, corner of 4th-av. and 26th-st., daily (except Sundays,) at
10 A. M.
4 P. M.

Connecting at Albany and Troy with trains North and West.

For the better accommodation of the public, arrangements have been made to run the trains of the Hudson River Railroad Company, and those of the New-York and Harlem Railroad Company at different hours from New-York.

New cars of the best construction and most convenient for the use of passengers, have been recently placed on the Harlem road, and the arrangements for ticketing passengers and checking baggage to all the principal places North and West, are very extensive and complete.

☞ Tickets of the Hudson River Railroad Company and of this Company, will be received by either Company; and baggage checked by either Company for Troy or Albany, or the connecting lines North and West, will be delivered at those cities or to the connecting lines without change of checks.

E. A. CHAPIN, Superintendent.
NEW-YORK, Nov. 1, 1864.

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Fare, $2. Excursion Ticket, $3, (good for three days.)

On and after TUESDAY, Nov. 1, 1864, by the commodious steamer JESSE HOYT, foot of Montague-st., Brooklyn, every day (Sundays excepted,) at 11 o'clock A. M, thence to Port Monmouth and by the Raritan and Delaware Bay Railroad to foot of Vine-st., Philadelphia. Returning leave Vine-st. wharf, Philadelphia, every morning at 8 A. M. (Sundays excepted.)

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Sunday excursion train leaves 34th-st., East River, at 8:30 A. M., for Riverhead, stopping at all stations, except Hempstead and Syosset.

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A. REASONER, Superintendent.

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7:00 A. M.—Express for Buffalo.
7:00 A. M.—Express for Cleveland direct, via A. and G. W. Railway.
8:30 A. M.—Milk, daily, for Otisville.
10:00 A. M.—Mail for Buffalo.
3:30 P. M.—Way, for Port Jervis and Newburgh.
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HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD.—ON AND after Oct. 31, trains leave Chambers-st. for Albany and Troy, and places North and West: 6:30 A. M., 12 M., 3:30, 5:30, 10:40 P. M. The 6:30 P. M. train has sleeping cars attached from 30th-st. through to Buffalo and Suspension Bridge without change. Sunday train, 6 P. M. from 30th-st.

NORTHERN R. R. OF NEW-JERSEY.—Trains leave Jersey City for Piermont at 9:15 A. M., 12:15 P. M., 4:22 P. M., and 6:05 P. M. The 9:15 A. M. and 4:22 P. M., run to Monsey.

THOS. W. DEMAREST, Sup't.
Nov. 1, 1864.

HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD.—TRAINS for Albany and Troy and the North and West leave Chambers-st., at 7 A. M.; Express, 8 A. M.; Way Mail, 10:30 A. M., and 4, 6 and 10:40 P. M. Express on Sundays at 6:22 P. M. from 30th-st.

J. M. TOUCEY, Assistant Superintendent.

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LOST AND FOUND.

TO THE PUBLIC.

CHARLES WINDSOR, paying Teller of the Mercantile Bank for the last 14 years, has disappeared, and there is a deficiency in his cash of $307,000 in currency, and $34,000 in gold. A reward of $5,000 is hereby offered for the arrest and delivery of said C. Windsor to proper authority, and $15,000 additional for the recovery of the amount taken, or in that proportion for the amount recovered.

The remaining surplus of the Bank, after deducting the amount abstracted, is $472,000, or 47 per cent. on the Capital Stock.

D. H ARNOLD,
President Mercantile Bank.

LOST OR STOLEN.

A $1000 U. S. new 5-20 bond, No. 16,030, mailed through the New-York Post-office on the 27th of October, to the Southport Bank, Southport, Conn., and not received. All persons are warned against purchasing the same, as payment will be stopped at the Treasury Department.

A liberal reward will be paid for the recovery of the bond, or for information leading to its recovery.

SOUTHPORT BANK, Southport, Conn.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY CAUTIONED against receiving or negotiating any of the following described notes, as the same have been stolen, and payment stopped. One note for $80 or $100, made by Paul Jagger and David Clark, dated Jan. 1, 1864, payable to Mary Maney or bearer. One note for $125, made by Mary T. Hedges, dated Dec. 24, 1862, payable to Mary Maney or bearer, dated Nov. 1, 1864.

MARY MANEY.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY CAUTIONED against receiving or negotiating the following described note, as the same has been stolen, and payment thereof has been stopped. Said note was for $200, and was made by Charles T. Little and Alexander McDowell, dated April 1, 1864, payable one year after date to Annie Bacon or bearer. DATED NOV. 1, 1864.

ANNIE BACON.

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From the New-York Tribune, Nov. 4. [*Editorial.*]

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THE WAR EAGLES.

Grand Parade of the Union Clubs.

A Torchlight Procession and Mass Meeting.

The City in a Blaze of Glory.

The long-expected display of the Union Clubs of this city came off last night, and was in every sense a success. At an early hour the different clubs, associations and battalions assembled at their several headquarters, and marched up to the vicinity of Broadway and Twenty-third-street, where they formed by divisions in the following order: At the head of the line, the Grand Marshal and his staff, escorted by the Veteran Union Club.

The First Division—Under the command of Marshal JOHN COCHRAN, Jr., comprising the "Union War Eagles," of the Nineteen Ward, and the Union Associations, Lincoln and Johnson Club, the Loyal Union League, and Darling Association of the Nineteenth Ward, the "Manierre Artillery," of the Eighteenth Ward, the Yorkville Liberty Boys, Union Associations of the Twelfth, Seventeenth, Eleventh and Seventh Wards, and "War Eagles" and Union Organizations of the Twenty-second Ward, on West Twenty-third-street, right resting on Fifth-avenue.

Second Division—Under the command of Marshal HENRY C. PARKS, comprising the "Union War Eagles" of the Sixteenth Ward, Loyal Union League, Union Association, Lincoln Artillery, and German Club of the Sixteenth Ward, Twentieth Ward Union Associations and German Club, Representatives from the Army and Navy, and the "Young Men's Republican Union," on West Twenty-second and Twenty-first-streets, right resting on Fifth-avenue.

Third Division—Under the command of Marshal EDMUND C. LEE—Comprising the "Union War Eagles" of the Eighteenth Ward, Loyal Union League, and Union Association of the Eighteenth Ward, Manhattan Union Club, "Robinson Armory" Organization, "War Eagles" and Union Associations of the Tenth Ward, on West Twentieth and Nineteenth streets, right resting on Fifth-avenue.

Fourth Division—Under command of Marshal SAMUEL COX—Comprising the "Union War Eagles" of the Twenty-first Ward, and Union Ward Associations, Union Associations of the Thirteenth and Fourteenth Wards, "War Democracy" General Committee, and Union Clubs from Hunter's Point and Astoria, on West Eighteenth and Seventeenth streets, right resting on Fifth-avenue.

Fifth Division—Under command of Marshal CHAS. E. PATTICK, comprising the Union War Eagles of the Fifth Ward, and Union Associations of the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth and Eighth Wards, and Brooklyn and Jersey City Union Clubs, and Eighth Ward War Eagles, on West Sixteenth and Fifteenth streets, right resting on Fifth-avenue.

Sixth Division—Under command of Marshal HERMAN G. CARTER, comprising the Union War Eagles of the Fifteenth Ward, Union Battalion, German Unionists, and Associations of the Fifteenth Ward, Loyal Union League, and Union Associations of the Ninth Ward, Eighth Assembly District LINCOLN and JOHNSON Club, on West Fourteenth-street, right resting on Fifth-avenue.

THE MARCH.

At a single gun the procession commenced moving, passing down Fifth-avenue to Eighth-street, up Eighth-street across Broadway and around the Cooper Institute; then down the Bowery to Grand-street, across Grand-street to Broadway, and up Broadway to Union Square. The streets along the line of march were thronged with people who greeted the procession with cheers, clapping of hands and waving of handkerchiefs. As the procession passed the Mercantile Library and the Cooper Institute, it was greeted with the most continual applause from the hundreds of people who crowded the windows, who cheered the various Union associations and clubs, which returned the compliment with three times three and a tiger. All along the line of march skyrockets and Roman candles, and other pyrotechnics, were set off from the scores of wagons in the procession, lighting up the street for a mile and a half, and producing a magnificent effect. Among the innumerable banners and mottoes displayed were the following: "SHERIDAN whirling EARLY," "Grant that peace may come;" "Sustain our brave soldiers;" "Our country's good our only study;" "Union and Liberty;" "Freedom to all;" "Our Peace Commissioners—GRANT, SHERMAN, SHERIDAN and FARRAGUT;" "Ground your arms and submit to the authority of the Constitution of the United States, and the war will immediately cease."—A. LINCOLN; "One flag, one country, one destiny;" "Liberty and the Constitution;" "Hail to the free-born State of Nevada;" "Send me reinforcements;" "McCLELLAN's platform—a gunboat;" "Secession Rights—the right to be hung;" "All quiet along the Potomac;" "Peace at any price played out," &c., &c. At the head of the procession was a calcium light, throwing a line of fire from one end of the line to the other. The waving of flags and banners, the strains of martial music, the booming of cannon, and the cheers of the enthusiastic multitude that lined the streets gave great animation to the scene. Windows and balconies along the route were crowded with ladies who waved their handkerchiefs. At the Metropolitan Hotel and several other public buildings along Broadway the procession was greeted with the most unbounded enthusiasm. There was no disturbance on the eastern route, although a dozen or more McClellan leaders, stationed at different points in the Bowery, particularly at the corner of Spring-street, did their utmost to create disturbance, by groaning at the procession and attempting to get up cheers for their gunboat hero. No notice whatever was taken of their futile attempts to make themselves miserable, the Lincoln boys answering their groans only with cheers for the Union and the Union candidates.

The procession arrived at Union-square about 10 o'clock, and after marching around the square, stationed themselves at the various stands where speeches were to be made.

At the stand immediately opposite the statue of Washington the gathering was exceedingly enthusiastic. As the different organizations filed by the platform, cheers rent the air. The meeting was called to order by Mr. JAMES M. THOMSON, Grand Commander, who delivered an eloquent address. He was followed by Mr. WILLIAM PEBBLES, Mr. H. BABCOCK, and THOMAS CROWTHER, Esq.

The stand directly opposite Broadway was presided over by Col. B. L. LUDINGTON, who appealed to his auditors to be bold and vigilant in the performance of their duties. He urged them to exert the utmost of their endeavors to make sure the election of LINCOLN and JOHNSON, and alluded to the late fraudulent attempts to cheat the soldiers out of their votes. He was followed by Mr. J. B. MCCLELLAND and others.

The meeting ended with a grand pyrotechnic display, in which the names of WASHINGTON, LINCOLN and JOHNSON, FELTON and ALVORD, were blazoned forth in letters of fire, the whole surmounted by the American eagle.

The procession and the mass meeting which followed were in every respect a creditable demonstration of the Union men of this city, though it would have been much larger had it not been for the fact that no less than sixteen mass meetings of the Union men were held in various parts of the city last evening. At the Cooper Institute meeting alone, where CARL SCHURZ spoke, no less than ten thousand people thronged in and about the building.

GERMAN MASS MEETING.

ENTHUSIASTIC TURN OUT.

ADDRESS BY CARL SCHURTZ.

One of the most numerous, as well as one of the most intelligent audiences ever congregated in that edifice, assembled last night at Cooper Institute. The call was for a mass meeting of the German Unionists, and was most enthusiastically responded to, the hall being densely crowded by 7 o'clock, a large proportion of the audience being ladies. About half-past 7 o'clock the meeting was called to order by Dr. GOLDMARK, who nominated as President Dr. ERNST KRACOWITZER. The Chairman responded in a few earnest remarks, cordially thanking the audience for the honor conferred upon him.

ADDRESS OF CARL SCHURZ.

General CARL SCHURZ was then introduced by the Chairman. His appearance was greeted with much enthusiasm, the audience rising en masse and cheering vociferously for some moments.

The gentleman thanked the audience for the enthusiastic reception which they had given him, and then remarked as follows: There are but a few days before the election, and it may be too late to offer any new views concerning the present condition of affairs, but still he did not think with the worthy chairman of this meeting, that there was no possibility of obtaining some new recruits to the Union party. He expected to see here many of the working classes, persons who had come here expecting to find free institutions and an asylum. In no country has talent and genius such a wide sphere for development as in America. This advancement and cooperation was due to our political system of organization. There was a peculiar freshness in this country, which as it were, gave life to everything that existed within it. He would speak practically. That which was best conducive to the interests of man in his political life is based upon the principle of conservatism. This was found here. The conservative element was to be found in the democratic forms of our State Governments, which are so elastic that they bend and turn themselves for every action of our minds. Every thought, every idea, could, under the beneficent influence of this system of government, find its proper sphere. Let us take a glance at the cause of a rebellion existing in this country. Turn to the Revolution. Then, as all know, not only the statesmen but the masses were against slavery; there was at that time only one feeling, and why?—because the American fought then for his own freedom, and, as a matter of course, he could not demand that another race should be enslaved. Every one will see that, if this had been carried out, and slavery kept within its proper bounds, it would never have come to this. Every foreigner who comes here to escape the oppression of the Governments of Europe must, for his own interests be against the rebellion and all those who are in its favor. [Cheers.] He hoped and trusted that there were many Democrats present, for he intended to address them specially. From his own personal experience he knew that there were many who belonged to the Democratic party who meant right, but who unfortunately follow the old leaders and are mislead by their counsel. What we want is, first the Union, and then to make it perpetual. Whoever is against having the Union is no better than a traitor, and whoever does not desire it to be a permanent one is either a fool or a rascal, and neither deserved the attention of his fellow-man. When the rebels raised their arms against us, we were compelled to enter upon the experiment of war. Then they all remembered how the Democrats with the Republicans were enthusiastic for the support of the Government, every one was eager to display his patriotism, and, in fact, persons even paid large sums of money for permission to enter the army, as the Government now pays bounties to obtain soldiers. Then the Democratic leaders argued in favor of the war, and said that their party, if it were necessary, could alone end the war, and drive the rebels into the Gulf of Mexico. Even such men as FERNANDO WOOD [groans] were busy raising and equipping regiments. What, then, was the cause of the change that had taken place among the members of that party? Was the war at present not the same as then? Were not the enemies the same? The Chicago platform gives us answer to this question. It says that the war is a failure, and therefore it must not be carried on any further. Suppose it were a failure; could the Democratic party guarantee us that it will bring about that which the war, as they say, was unable to do. Have not the rebels said again and again that they would never come back into the Union. That they will accept no proposals of peace unless their independence is guaranteed them. Yes, it is true the South offer you peace, but such a peace as will deprive you of all that you possess. Is this the peace that the Democratic party would wish? If the war is a failure, it is the duty of the Democratic party to make it a success. Now, is the war really a failure? If we glance back at the time when the war began, we will discover that the rebels held over 1,050,000 square miles of soil, and now they occupy scarcely 30,000. Is this a sign of failure? Let us look at the army. In the commencement the Southern army was large and powerful, so much so that the present candidate for he Presidency, GEO. B. MCCLELLAN whenever he was defeated, always said that it was owing to the overpowering numbers of the enemy's force. Now look at them. LEE, with one portion, is behind his fortifications at Richmond and does not come forth from them, and another part under HOOD is composed of guerrillas, and while those under LEE cannot move, those under HOOD will, I fear, soon find that they will not not be able to move fast enough. [Laughter.] These two parts form the whole army. Is this a sign of failure? I cannot, I am sure, call the Peninsula campaign of MCCLELLAN a success; but I will say that the capture of Atlanta, New-Orleans and the operations in the Shenandoah are far from failures. But it is said that GRANT has not been successful. He would not then discuss the question, but he could say that GRANT had done what no other person had ever expected, viz: he had brought LEE to his wit's end. Every one knew how long GRANT lay before Vicksburgh, and he, nevertheless, finally captured it; so he now lays before Richmond, and while he listens calmly to the accusations of the Democrats, his plans will soon terminate in the capture of that city. [Cheers.] He could bring another authority to prove that the war was no failure. One that the Democrats would, no doubt, place credit in. JEFF. DAVIS. [Laughter.] They had heard of the speech of that gentlemen recently, when he appealed to the old men, women and children of the South to save the country, and that upon them depended its welfare. How then with all this before us can any well-meaning person say that this war has been a failure. But he did not think that the Democrats really believed what they themselves asserted in relation to the war. [Laughter.] They ask for peace under conditions which make it impossible. But the failure of the war is not the only accusation which is brought against the Union party by the Democrats. They say that it is not carried on in a proper and energetic spirit. But who assert this? Those who have always voted against replenishing the National treasury and strengthening the army. Is it not so? [Yes, yes.] But let us see what they wish to do to add to the energy of the war. They would do way with the conscription and the 200,000 negro soldiers. In other words, prevent the army from being reinforced, and also take away a portion of its strength. Is this energy? It is like depriving a man of every drop of blood that he has, in order that he may fight the better. They wish to display energy by putting MCCLELLAN in the place of GRANT. [Laughter.] No, this is no display of energy. But let the Democrats furnish men and money, and that would be a sign of energy which would not fail to lead to success. Another accusation is that the Administration has acted wrongly in the way in which it conducts the war. And they point to the confiscation act. It is well known that in war the victor can always confiscate property of his defeated enemy. It is said that it is wrong to use the negro against the south, or to set him free. The Democrats have always regarded the negro as property similar to an ox or horse. The northern army that invaded the south found a large number of slaves. What was to be done with them? Should they clothe and feed them and then give them back again to the masters. The oxen were slaughtered to furnish food for the soldiers. The horses were used to mount our cavalry; and if oxen and horses and negroes are equal property, why could we not use the negro as well as we could the cattle? [Applause.] The principal complaint urged is, that we place muskets in the negro's hands to be used against the South. Is it not a principle in war that each side should profit by all advantages which it is able to do? If we could invent rifles to carry ten miles, we would certainly be permitted to do so. The rebels have armed the Indians against us, and have even put weapons in the hands of negroes to be used against the North; and now they complain because we arm the black man against the South. Surely, what the rebels had a right to do, we also had. The principal objection urged against the Administration by the Democrats is the issuing of the Emancipation Proclamation. They say that it has enraged the South. He believed it. [Laughter.] GRANT and SHERMAN had also made the Southerners angry. MCCLELLAN has never done so. [Laughter.] But it is said that the emancipation of the slaves has prevented the South from returning to its allegiance to the Union. Vain argument. Were the slaves emancipated during the first year and a half of the war? and yet the South never thought of returning, and when LINCOLN issued his proclamation on the 22d of September, he gave 100 days' notice that all States that did not return to their allegiance in that time would have their slaves declared free. There was ample notice, and yet no rebel offered to take advantage of it. How groundless, then, was this accusation. Then again the Democrats say you wish to place the blacks on an equality with the whites. How can that be? Have you not asserted that the negroes are not equal to the whites? Why then do you fear that which you assert is an impossibility? If it is impossible the black can never be equal to the white, it can never take place, and if it is possible, it will surely be effected. [Applause.] The speaker continued very eloquent to refer to the situation of affairs at present, spoke of what evil results would have ensued if an armistice had taken place just before Atlanta had been taken. So it might be that if MCCLELLAN is chosen President, an armistice might be declared just as GRANT is ready to take Richmond. The speaker, after having referred to the contemptible efforts which had been made to cheat the soldier of the proper exercise of his elective franchise recently in Baltimore, concluded with an earnest appeal to all to vote for ABRAHAM LINCOLN and ANDREW JOHNSON at the next election.

At the conclusion of Gen. SCHURTZ's remarks, the following resolutions were presented by Mr. A. FRANK, and adopted:

In view of the state of the country and of the impending elections, the German citizens of New-York, in favor of the preservation of our liberties and the perpetuity of the Union, assembled in mass meeting, the 4th of November, 1864, resolve as follows:

That the public welfare makes it the bounden duty of every friend of liberty and of law to use his best efforts for the reelection of ABRAHAM LINCOLN as President, and the election of ANDREW JOHNSON as Vice-President of the United States. (Cheers.)

That the stream of emigration into these regions was led hither exclusively by the existence of the Union of these States, and it is the duty and special interest of all adopted citizens to resist the destruction of the Government to which they have plighted their faith. * * * *

That the rebellion must be crushed not only in the defeat of its armies, but in the reorganization of the insurgent States according to the requirements of the public weal, and in the exercise of the national right of conquest over a worsted foe.

That we regard the Federal Congress as the body authorized to make these dispositions, and expect the Administration to execute the ordinances of the representatives of the people.

That the war must be conducted by war generals, and not by peace generals, according to the laws of war, and not according to platforms of peace; while traitors at home should be resisted on the principles enumerated by Gen. MCCLELLAN when he ordered the mediated treason of the Maryland Legislature to be forestalled by the arrest of its members.

That this nation can never be sufficiently grateful to the citizens who have battled for its honor and its existence in the armies and navies of the Union, who constitute the strong right hand of the President, and the bulwark of the people against the enemies North and South. [Cheers.]

That the party of the Union stands pledged, for themselves and descendants, to the faithful discharge of every dollar of the public debt.

That we hail the emancipation of the slaves in Maryland as a shining example to every loyal State in which slavery is not yet extinguished.

That we tender our heartfelt thanks to the champions of liberty abroad, especially to JOHN BRIGHT, RICHARD COBDEN, GASPARIN, LABOULAYE, KARL BLIND, VICTOR HUGO and GARIBALDI, as well as to the working classes of Europe, for their interest in the success of our cause, and promise in return to give our undivided support to every progressive effort, wherever made.

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That we regard with abhorrence the frauds upon the ballot-box perpetrated by the enemies of the country, and behold in these machinations the fitting termination of a party which has always borne a false name and lived on false pretenses, and now expires in the meshes of its foulest conspiracy. [Loud cheers.]

The meeting was a great success, and the arrangements throughout were admirable, reflecting much credit on the Committee of Arrangements: Prof. Kœrner, Sixtus L. Kapff, Theodore Wehle, A. Frank, Benj. Lehmaire, Louis Durr, and Dr. J. Goldmark.

THE LOYAL LADIES.

Grand Meeting at the Church of the Messiah.

THEY INDORSE THE UNION NOMINATIONS.

A grand meeting of the loyal women was held last evening at the Church of the Messiah, under the auspices of the Young men's Union Club. At an early hour the Church was filled to its utmost, with one of the most respectable audiences ever gathered within its walls. Ladies of education and refinement who understanding the great questions and principles at issue, gathered together to indorse by their presence the actions of the Union party, who are working for the reelection of ABRAHAM LINCOLN as President of the United States, and a vigorous prosecution of the war, until rebellion is utterly and entirely extinguished. About eight o'clock the meeting was called to order by the President of the Young men's Union Club, who introduced as Chairman of the meeting WM. CURTIS NOYES.

Mr. NOYES carefully reviewed the civil and military career of Gen. MCCLELLAN, and its utter failure, spoke of the great and important successes of the Union army since Gen. GRANT had been in command. He then carefully compared the Baltimore and Chicago platforms, and plainly showed to every thinking man and woman, how superior in every respect the Baltimore platform was to the miserable peace concern patched up at Chicago. The way to peace, he believed, was not through conventions nor armistices, but through shot and shell. He closed by paying a glowing tribute to the noble soldiers now in the field fighting for their country's flag and honor. The Chairman next introduced

HON. CHARLES SUMNER,

who was greeted with great applause and three hearty cheers. He accepted the applause as given to the great cause for which they were working. Said he was taken entirely by surprise, as he had come with the intention to listen, and not to speak. To-morrow (to-day,) he intended speaking at Cooper Institute, and would then explain his views on the great questions which are now of such great and vital interest to all American citizens. He had often heard the remark made that clergymen and women had nothing to do with politics, but such remarks were generally made by parties whose views and politics were acceptable to neither clergymen nor women. The women of the Revolution had taken a noble stand and greatly assisted their fathers, husbands, sons and brothers in that great struggle for liberty, and he was glad to see that the women of the present day, emulating the grand examples of their mothers, were assisting their fathers, husbands, sons and brothers in the same glorious cause, the cause of Union and right against disunion and slavery. This war was strictly a war of self-defence against slave masters who long cherished a hatred against this Government, at last made an opportunity to strike a blow which they intended should be fatal. This was a war of the greatest possible importance, he believed the spirit of patriotism burned as brightly in the hearts of the women as it did in the hearts of men, and he believed that through their influence they would prove it at the polls. We are now fighting a great battle, not only for liberty, but for the liberty of all mankind. The scripture said, Blessed are the peacemakers, and he fully revered the words—but how was peace to be obtained? Only by the suppression of the rebellion, and the extirpation of its causes. The question now at issue is: Are you for rebellion, or are you for your country? All discussion of candidates is superfluous. There were criticisms on both sides. If Mr. LINCOLN was slow, surely MCCLELLAN was slower. If Mr. LINCOLN had imprisoned persons, Gen. MCCLELLAN had imprisoned an entire Legislature. The question was now above the mere question of men, it was the question of saving our country. There were but two parties—the one the party of the country, with ABRAHAM LINCOLN as its chief and liberty as its watchword; the other the cause of disunion, with JEFF. DAVIS at its head and slavery as its watchword, between these two every one must choose. Under Republican rule many great advantages had been secured to the country. The Pacific Railroad had been established and set on foot, Agricultural Colleges had been commenced, and the largest armies ever known in the world. The Republican party could not stop. It must go an until it established peace on the great principle of giving proper rights to all human beings. For a pure Democracy founded on human rights he had a sincere respect, but for a Democracy founded on slavery he had no respect; and that was the kind of Democracy the people were called upon to sustain. It was under such a Democracy, and under JAMES BUCHANAN, this war was commenced. Look, said he, among the rebels, and see how many of them are this kind of Democrats. JEFF. DAVIS, ALEX. H. STEPHENS, and the entire cabinet. SLIDELL and MASON, werr also of this stripe and HOOD and BEAUREGARD and many other rebel Generals, who, educated at the expense of the people were now in open arms against their country. Generals GRANT, SHERMAN, BUTLER, BURNSIDE and many other brave officers who had distinguished themselves upon the field, had thrown off the shackles of the Democratic party and come out in favor of their country. Within the past few days a new feature had been discovered, viz., an attempt to cheat the soldiers who were baring their breasts to the enemy, and risking their lives for their country's sake out of their votes. This was a crime so loathsome and execrable that human language could not describe it. The cause of all this could be directly traced to slavery, a cause which, to further its own ends, would stop at nothing until it was entirely abolished. The chairman then introduced

REV. DR. BELLOWS,

who, after paying a very beautiful compliment to the loyal ladies of the country, said it was a solemn thing to see so many loyal women assembled on the very brink of an election, not to hear speeches, nor music, but to lend their voices and exertions in aid of this great cause. Our nobly army had suffered greatly, but our patriotic women had also suffered greatly, they had freely given their sons and husbands to fight, and if need be, die in the great cause of freedom. Much noble and heroic suffering had been endured by the gallant soldiers upon the battle-field, but the home agonies and home sacrifices were known only to God and to the sufferers. He closed by praying the women of the North, who were the power behind the throne, and greater than the throne itself, to send every man to the polls on the eighth of November, make him vote, and see that he voted right.

After hearty cheers by the male portion of the audience, for LINCOLN and the loyal ladies, the meeting adjourned.

The Election on Tuesday—Preparations of the Police to Preserve Order.

It is not believed by the Commissioners of Police that any serious disturbances will take place on the day of the coming election, but unusual precaution will be taken by President ACTON and Superintendent KENNEDY to preserve order and prevent disorderly conduct. The entire available force of the Metropolitan Police will be on duty. Extra men will be stationed at the polls in each district. Reserves will be held in readiness at every station-house with conveyances to transport the men to any point with great rapidity. In all dangerous districts an extra reserve force will be kept. Strong patrol parties will traverse the streets in every direction during the day, and with these preparations, the large force at the disposal of the Commissioners and the determination to keep the peace of the city at all hazards, it will be a dangerous proceeding to attempt a riot. The Metropolitan Police Commissioners are also empowered to call out the militia should their services be required; but the necessity for such a call is not anticipated. The idea of closing the factories and stores on election day, which has been discussed by some, is not considered a good move. Every employer will certainly allow his men a chance to vote, but giving them the entire day to be devoted to idleness would not be conducive to the quiet of the city. At any rate, timid people may dismiss any fears of riot or bloodshed on the eighth of November. The police will be on the alert, and are competent to protect the metropolis, for, after all, the proportion of disorderly-disposed persons will be very small compared with the great mass of order-loving, law-biding citizens.

Great Union Meeting in Bridgeport.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

BRIDGEPORT, CT., Friday, Nov. 4.

One of the most enthusiastic Union meetings ever held in this city is now in progress. Gov. Buckingham, Hon. J. J. Couch, Charlton T. Lewis and Hon. J. F. Trumbull are the speakers. The Hall is packed to overflowing. The Copperheads are disheartened, the oment are all in our favor. Victory Nov. 8th.

ALLEGED CHILD MURDER.—The remains of a female infant were found, yesterday, in Madison-avenue, near Fifty-second-street, wrapped in a shirt. Coroner COLLIN held an inquest upon the body, and Deputy Coroner ROBINSON made a post-mortem examination, which showed that the child was fully developed when born, and that death must have ensued from hemorrhage from the umbilical cord. Nothing concerning the child could be learned. The jury rendered a verdict in accordance with the facts as above stated.

For County Clerk.

JAMES M. THOMSON, one of the most indefatigable, earnest and thoroughgoing Union men in the city, is the Union candidate for County Clerk. He is well known to the public as possessing all the business qualifications for the office, is a man of fine personal character, and of great popularity. Strong efforts are being made to elect him, and as he comes on to the course with two candidates against him, his chances are bright. He should be elected, and can be, if the efforts be unflagging for him until the close of the polls.

Military Migration.

BALTIMORE, Friday, Nov. 4.

The city is crowded with soldiers and civilians seeking transportation north. The Northern Central Railroad, last night and this morning, was unable to accommodate the crowds who sought passage by this route, and some 300 persons were left.

No preference is shown to civilians over soldiers. Gen. REYNOLDS, of Gov. CURTIN's staff, laid over here 24 hours from this cause.

The Eighty-second, One Hundred and Fourteenth, One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth Pennsylvania Volunteers, all of Philadelphia, composing one of the fighting brigades of the old Sixth Corps, arrived here last night and this morning from SHERIDAN's triumphant army, and proceeded on their way home, where they are ordered to report.

Capture of the Gunboat Undine by the Rebels—Movements of Hood and Forrest.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Thursday, Nov. 3.

The gunboat *Undine*, one of the poorest of her class, was captured by the rebels at Fort Herman, on the Tennessee River, on Sunday night.

Twenty deserters from Fort Herman reached Paducah on Monday and reported that Gens. Forrest, Buford, Chalmers and Bell, were concentrating their forces, and that they have fourteen cannon besides the gunboat *Undine*.

Orders from Gens. HOOD and FORREST were read to he troops, saying that HOOD was marching North and would cross the Tennessee River at Bridgeport, while FORREST attacked Johnsonville.

The War in Missouri—The Indian War.

ST. LOUIS, Friday, Nov. 4.

Gen. ROSECRANS and Gen. A. J. SMITH arrived last night.

SMITH's infantry is moving eastward, one column on the north side and another on the south side of the Missouri River, with instructions to clear the country of guerrillas.

Advices from the Upper Missouri say that Gen. SULLY and his command are at Sioux City. Gen. SULLY left his Adjutant, Capt. PACH, at Fort Sully to negotiate a treaty of peace with the Sioux, several chiefs being there for that purpose.

A private dispatch from Springfield, Mo., says that our troops whipped PRICE again at Newtonia, Newton County, Mo., date not given. We now hold the town, and the rebels are retreating into Arkansas.

Gen. RAWLINGS, Gen. GRANT's Chief of Staff, arrived here last night.

Political Disturbance in Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, Friday, Nov. 1.

A disturbance took place to-night at the hall of the Maryland Institute, on the occasion of the meeting of the friends of MCCLELLAN and PENDLETON. Gov. PARKER, of New-Jersy; RICHARD VAUGHAN and WM. B. REED, of Philadelphia; WM. SCHLEY, of Baltimore, and others, were announced to address the meeting. The hall was crowded. Shortly after the meeting was organized, and while a speaker was denouncing President LINCOLN, some one in the crowd proposed cheers for LINCOLN, when he was knocked down, and a scuffle took place. Loud shouts and vociferous cheers for LINCOLN followed, when there was a rush for the doors, the crowd clambering over chairs and benches in great confusion. So far as is known no one was injured, except that some were slightly bruised by falling over the benches. When the platform was vacated, some parties clambered upon it, raising a flag and proposing three cheers for LINCOLN, JOHNSON and the Union. In a few minutes the hall was emptied and quiet was restored.

From Mexico.

SAN FRANCISCO, Thursday, Nov. 3.

The steamer *John L. Stevens*, from Mazatlan Oct. 25, has arrived with $130,000 in treasure.

Several prominent Mexicans came by her, having left Mazatlan in anticipation of the speedy capture of the place by the French fleet. Nearly everybody at Mazatlan appeared desirous that the French would soon arrive and make an end of the rule of the different chieftains successively impoverishing the people by forced contributions.

The principal French force in Western Mexico was understood to be marching toward Chihuahua, the last stronghold of JUAREZ and ORTEGA.

From California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Thursday, Nov. 3.

The steamer *Golden City* sailed to-day for Panama with $726,000 in treasure for England, and $367,000 for New-York.

Among her passengers are Judge FIELD, Ex-Senator LATHAM and Government Agent THOMAS BROWN, who goes to Washington to report the result of his investigations of affairs in the San Francisco Custom-house.

Fire.

CONCORD, N. H., Friday, Nov. 4.

Several buildings in the vicinity of the passenger and railroad depots were destroyed by fire last night, involving a loss of more than $75,000. Among the sufferers are: Lewis Downing & Sons; Haynes & Baker; J. L. Jackson; Dearborn & Co.; B. F. Danckle and others. The stable of the Elm House was also destroyed. The property was mostly insured.

FROM ST. LOUIS.

Gens. Marmaduke and Cabel and Four Rebel Colonels Sent to Johnson's Island.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Friday, Nov. 4.

Major-Gen. MARMADUKE, Brig.-Gen. CABEL and four rebel Colonels, captured by Gen. PLEASONTON at the battle of Osage, left here yesterday for Johnson's Island.

Six to eight inches of snow fell here yesterday.

From Grant's Army.

WASHINGTON, Friday, Nov. 4.

A note from the Army of the Potomac, dated yesterday, says:

"The situation of affairs remains unchanged, and the men are making themselves comfortable by building log houses.

A severe storm set in yesterday morning and still continues, making traveling anything but pleasant."

Message from the Mayor.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW-YORK, Oct. 27, 1864.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: Complaint has been made to me that a serious annoyance is caused by the large vans covered with advertisements, that perambulate the streets, blocking up the thoroughfares and frightening the horses. I would respectfully suggest the passage of an ordinance to prevent this nuisance, and submit the annexed draft for the consideration of your honorable body.

C. GODFREY GUNTHER, Mayor.

AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE THE SIZE OF ADVERTISING CARS AND VANS.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New-York do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. It shall not be lawful to drive through the streets or public places of the City of New York any car, van or vehicle drawn by one or more horses on which any device, showbill or placard, printed or painted, shall be displayed, of a greater size than six feet in height, six feet in width and twelve feet in length; nor shall any car, van or vehicle for advertising purposes of greater size than as above prescribed stand on the streets or public places of said city, under a penalty of ten dollars for each offence, to be collected of the owner or owners, or of the driver of such car, van or vehicle, that shall be so drawn, or shall stand as aforesaid.

SEC. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

The Seventeenth U. S. Infantry and Politics

HEADQUARTERS BATTALION 17TH U. S. INFANTRY,
FORT LAFAYETTE, NEW-YORK HARBOR,
Thursday, Nov. 3, 1864.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

I was informed yesterday that a late issue of the *News* (my informant did not know of what date) contained an article which stated that the Seventeenth United States Infantry, lately returned from the field, was altogether in favor of Gen. MCCLELLAN for President. Such a statement was wholly unauthorized, and the facts are just the reverse. All the officers present with the command, and, I believe, most of the privates, are in favor of Mr. LINCOLN. If you think the statement in the paper which I refer to worthy of notice, you can make any use of this note you think fit.

Yours respectfully,
J. P. WALES,
Captain Seventeenth United States Infantry, Commanding.

Go Home.

KEENE, N. H., Monday, Oct. 31, 1864.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

Will you do us the favor to give a call for all absent New-Hampshire voters to come home and vote? Their presence will be greatly needed. The Democrats are working hard, secretly, and will commit all the fraud they can with impunity.

Truly yours, P.

[NOTE.—The above idea has an application to voters of all States who are away from home.—ED. TIMES.]

The Two Platforms.

RECAPITULATION.

Baltimore.	*Chicago.*
A vigorous prosecution of the war.	A vigorous persecution of the Administration.

SOLDIER, KEARNY's Old Division.

THE NATIONAL CRISIS.—Rev. W. H. BOOLE will preach his second discourse on "Our National Crisis," in the Thirty-seventh-street M. E. Church, between Second and Third avenues, on Sunday evening.

Evening Exchange.

$40,000	Amer. Gold	239	500	M. S. & N. I	74⅜
70,000	do	238½	100	do b3	74⅜
15,000	do	238⅜	200	do	74⅜
60,000	do	238⅜	100	do b3	74⅜
40,000	do	238	100	do	74
10,000	C. & M. Cer	40¼	100	Ill. Cen. R	128¼
10,000	do	40	100	do	128½
100	N. Y. Central	137⅞	100	Chi. & R. I. R	101⅜
100	do s30	137	200	Chi. & N. W. R	45
100	Erie R	101¾	100	do	44⅝
600	do	101¾	100	do b3	44⅞
700	do	101¼	100	do b3	45
400	do b3	101¼	100	Chi. & N. W. Pr. b3	82
300	do	101	100	do	82
100	do b3	108½	200	P. F. W. & C	104¾
300	do	104¼	200	do s3	104½
100	do	104¼	100	Canton Co	34¼
300	Hudson R. R. b10	122	100	Mar. Min. Co. b3	36¾
2400	Reading R	136	200	do	36½
300	do s3	135⅞			

After the "call," stocks yielded, and Gold sold as low as 236½, at which price it stood at the close of the report.

[Advertisement.]

A FRAGRANT BREATH AND PEARLY TEETH are easily attained, and those who fail to avail themselves of the means should not complain when accused of gross neglect. The SOZODONT will speedily eradicate the cause of a foul breath, beautifying and preserving the teeth to the oldest age.

Sold by all Druggists.

[Advertisement.]

The Grape Culture in France and Germany; How to Eat Them; A Universal Language; Home Education; How to Manage Children; Work and Wages; Mind and Body; Power of the Imagination; Put to Death through Fear Alone, &c., in November number PHRENOLOGICAL JOURNAL. 20 cents, by first post.

FOWLER & WELLS, No. 389 Broadway, N. Y.

[Advertisement.]

During the past two weeks, the house of Henry Sandford, of Adams' Express; the house of Charles Carwill, Barclay-street; the house of Joseph Hoyt, Spruce-street; the house of Henry Baylis, Warren-street: the house of D. S. Brooks, of Brooks Brothers, Broadway; the house of John T. Wareing, Yonkers; two houses in Bridgeport; two in Stamford, Conn.; one in Portchester and one in Astoria, in which was $40,000 at the time, were broken open by burglars, but saved from being robbed by the Burglar Alarm Telegraph, which in six years has not been broken through. E. HOLMES, No. 253 Broadway.

[Advertisement.]

A BAD BREATH THE GREATEST CURSE THE HUMAN FAMILY IS HEIR TO.—How many lovers it has separated—how many friends forever parted! The subject is so delicate your nearest friend will not mention it, and you are ignorant of the fact yourself. To effect a radical cure use the "Balm of a Thousand Flowers" as a dentrifice, night and morning. It also beautifies the complexion, removing all tan, pimples and freckles, leaving the skin soft and white. For sale by all druggists.

[Advertisement.]

GIVE CONSTITUTION WATER A FAIR TRIAL.—We mean you who are under some *specialist's* care from year to year, and we particularly allude to ladies who are constantly resorting to *local treatment*, and all sorts of local applications for diseases, with as much chance of success as there would be from local applications to the throat for disease of the brain. Sold wholesale by MORGAN & ALLEN, No. 46 Cliff-st., and by all druggists.

[Advertisement.]

No candidate can expect to be elected unless he indorses the excellence of KENT'S EAST INDIA COFFEE. Sold by all grocers, at 28 cents per pound. General depot No. 154 Reade-st.

[Advertisement.]

HERRING'S Patent Champion Fire proof Safes, and HERRING'S new Patent Burglar-proof Safes, with HERRING & FLOYD'S Patent Crystallized Iron—the only material which cannot be drilled—at No. 251 Broadway, New-York.

Passengers Arrived.

In steamship Costa Rica, from Aspinwall—T. H. O'Connor, wife and 5 children, F. Tuthill, wife and child, Mrs. M. T. Wiggins, G. Kaindler, John Ferguson, Henry Beatty, D. Smith, R. Dexter, A. H. Knight, Mrs. T. C. Sullivan, Miss M. Crowe, Mrs. L. M. R. Gifford and child, Col. F. J. Leppitt and child, E. Danforth, wife and 2 children, Marsh C. Fowler, Capt. E. M. Chadwick, R. H. Newton, wife and child, E. Walter, Mrs. J. S. Berry and daughter, J. R. Roche, wife and child, C. Clark, H. A. Waterhouse, Mrs. H. A. Barkalo and child, E. Elkins, M. V. Gardener and wife, B. D. Forrest, J. S. Gray, H. J. Crow, J. S. Snyder, J. Dickerman, wife and 2 children, A. Kaufmann and child, B. G. Bachelder, M. Rosken and